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Labor Delegates In Convention

Large Gathering of Representatives of Various Unions at Kamloops.

Afternoon Occupied in Organization and Appointment

of Committees.

Kamloops, B. C., April 14.—The Labor convention called by the Western Federation of Miners, has been in session all he afternoon, but did nothing in the way of business, except the appointment of committees, and the presenting of cre-dentials. There are 63 delegates representing all branches of labor, also the Single Tax and Socialist party. Following is a list of delegates and organizations represented:

tions represented:
Socialist League No. 42, Wm. Ebbs.
District Lodge, No. 6, Western Federation of Miners, Chris. Foley.
Slocan Miners Union, H. L. Fife.
Phoeniz Miners' Union, No. 8, Rogers.
Vancouver Trades and Labor Council,
T. H. Cross and R. Macpherson.
Vancouver Labor party, G. Bartley.
Council of Railroad Trainmen, Kamloops, A. McDonald and D. Stevens.
Rossland Trades and Labor Council,
No. 6, J. McLaren.
Western Federation of Miners and Independent Labor party, Rossland, T.
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Ymir Miners' Union, A. Parr.
Slocan Miners' Union, No. 62, J. A. Baker.
Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen,
Kamloops, C. J. Bourne.
Phoenix Trades and Labor Council,
C. H. Cowan.

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New Denver Miners' Union, C. H. Richardson.

Nanaimo Trades and Labor Council, H. Buckle. Vancouver Boilermakers, J. H. Wat-

son.
International Association of Machinists, Revelstoke, Wm. Neill.
Greenwood Miners' Union, Geo.
Dougherty and M. Kane.
Nelson Carpenters' Union, A. Lockey.
Lardeau Miners' Union, Ferguson, A.
Gordon

Cordon.
Sandon Socialist League, Wan. Mc-Adam.
Sandon Miners' Union, J. H. Thomson, T. McRoske and Alex. McDonald.
Brotherhood of Railway Trackmen,
Ashcroft, T. Phillips.
Whitewater Miners' Union, J. B.
Barke.

Surke.

Kas'o Miners' Union, G. T. Kane.
Brotherhood of Railway Trackmen,
Revelstoke, T. Gellespie.
Silverton Miners' Union, J. Tyrce.
Rossland Miners' Union, R. Bulmer
ind F. E. Woodside.
Phoeniv Miners' Union, T. Buckton.
Rossland Carpenters' Union, T. Beamsh.

Imperial **Estimates**

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of Exchequer, Delivers Budget Speech.

Expects Expenditure to Be Thirteen Millions Less Than For Last Year.

Small Tax Will Be Placed on Imports of Flour and

London, April 14.-Not for many years as Great Britain's fiscal programme een awaited with such interest as that of this year, and there is no doubt that all the proposals contained in it will be adopted. It is equally certain that none of these proposals will meet with the unanimous approval of either side of the

More important, perhaps, than the curous forms of the new taxation is the statement made by Sir Michael Hicksthat the government has acceded to the

enue and expenditure was presented in the House of Commons to-day by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach when opening the budget aunouncements. He showed a total ordinary ex penditure for 1902-03 estimated at £129,-159,000, with war charges amounting to £45,450,000, making a grand total of £174,609,000. This is £13,903,000 below the total for 1892.

The cost of war for three years was £165,034,000, but in addition to the hope of repayment from the wealth of the Transvaal there was the share of Chinese indemnity, which was a very valu-

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vies in other countries, he thought it desirable to frame some scheme of taxation under which, when peace returns, there would be no difficulty in settling the country's finance system on a basis equitable alike to all the tax-payers of the country. He was of the opinion that the repeal by the late Mr. Lowe of the import on wheat had not realized the expectations formed at the time. The effect of a duty of 3 pence per hundred-weight on wheat would mean but a very small fraction of a farthing increase in the price of the loaf, and the competition of the bakers was so keen that auyone trying to raise the price of bread on such a ground would probably find such action not to his advantage.

The Chancellor denied that the registration of duties on grain and flour violated the principles of free trade or would increase the cost of food. He thought the duty had been recklessly abandoned and declared the remission didnot reduce the price of food. He therefore proposed an import duty of 3 pence per hundredweight on all grain, with a corelative duty of 5 pence per hundredweight on flour and meal. The total wield of this duty was estimated at £2, 650,000, bringing the total estimate of the revenue from the new taxation to £5,150,000.

Of the balance of the deficit, the Chancellor proposed to borrow £32,000.

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British tax-payers, as the security of the Transvaal would not in any way meet the expenditures. The gigantic fortunes made in the Rand had not been produced by the mines, but by projectors selling worthless mines to the ignorant and credulous.

One of the first results of the budget announcement was that considerable sums of money had changed hands at Lloyds, where for weeks past risks have been accepted against the various commodities upon which it seemed likely that the Chancellor of the Exchequer might impose a tax. The premiums demanded on sugar, grain and income-tax risks were 50 guineas per cent. each, and many policies were written. On the other hand, big chances were taken. Timber paid a premium of 40 guineas per cent. each. None of the last mentioned commodities come under the announced taxation.

At a late hour tonight the Associated Press learns on excellent authority that the principal provision of the budget, namely, the treasury loan of £32,000,000,000, will never be needed. When that section of the budget gets to the committee stage, the peace negotiations will probably have reached such shape that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach will be able to announce a dinfinution of today's estimate.

The failure to explain this important point is taken in the House of Commons to indicate that the government has strong hopes of a speedy issue of the negotiations now progressing at Pretoria between the Boer sapedy issue of the negotiations now progressing at Pretoria between the Boer leaders, although it wishes to impress the world in general, and the Boers in particular, with its ability and determination to push the war to a finish, should the British terms of peace be refused.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is seldom dramatic, but when he referred today to the government's intention to restock the Boers and expressed his hopes for subsequent friendship between Briton and Boer, took the House with him, and the cheers, especially from opposition, prevented the speaker from continuing his speech for several moments. Ourin

the war. We shall naturally fight it for that reason. The 'protection of Irish agriculture has been a good thing, but this duty on flour and corn is too small to do us any good. Indeed, it will merely raise the price of cheap meals imported from Anaerica and largely used by the Irish peasantry; besides making bread dearer. I think it quite likely that these duties may affect the American millers as the differences between the new duties on raw and manufactured corn may, perhaps, give the English miller a chance to grind, whereas, heretofore he has imported American flour."

John Burns was particularly vehement in speaking of the budget to a representative of the Associated Press. "It is a cowardly budget," he declared, "for war. It devolves upon the very poor the cost of aggrandizement by the adventurous rich. It taxes the industrious producer at home for the prodigal speculator abroad."

Asked if he thought that American flour would be affected by the new taxes, Mr. Burns said he was inclined to believe that Minneapolis and other large milling centres would find it much harder to get trade in England.

"But that does not matter," said Mr. Burns, "the United States deserve to be chastised for the Philippines."

Jenny Norman voiced the opinion of the Imperialist Liberals when he said:

"You cannot call it protection. It is a tariff for revenue only, and the United States will have no cause for retaliation. But it is irritating without being compensating. Of course it will pass. If the government told its supporters to eat their hats they would do so without a murmur."

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London, April 15.—The debate on the budget in the House of Commons, the House divided on the corn and flour duttes resolution, which was adopted by a vote of 254 to 135.

STOCK EXCHANGE SEATS.

Three New Ones Purchased in Montreal. Montreal, April 14.—(Special)—Three of the new seats on the Montreal stock exchange were disposed of this morning for \$20,000 apiece. The buyers were L. J. Forget & Co., Mowat & Co., and Edward Gault.

PEACE TERMS ACCEPTED. Rev. Dr. Maggs Settles His Diffierences With Wesleyan College.

Montreal, April 14.—Rev. Dr. Maggs, of the Wesleyan Theological college, who resigned some time ago, withdrew nis resignation today, the differences having been adjusted.

What the **Boers Ask**

Terms They are Trying to Secure As the Price of Having Peace.

Want Their Language Recog nized Officially on Equality With English.

Other Sweeping Concessions That the Conquerors are Desired to Grant.

The Hague, April 14.-From those closely in touch with the Boer leaders here, it appears that the latest secret despatch from South Africa outlines the peace proposals now under discussion at Pretoria. They closely follow the summary given on Saturday last, in the Even-ink News, of Edinburgh, with the fol-

owing additional details: The Boers accept a British Lord Commissioner, with a Boer executive, both to

be resident at Pretoria The country to be divided into districts with British district officers and Boer committees chosen by polling by the burghers. The veto right to be re-served to the British, with a complete British civic organization. War in-demnity of at least £10,000,000 to be

distributed by inixed committees. Disarmament to occur when the first batch of Boer prisoners is sent back to South Africa

No war tax to be levied. Both languages to be recognized in the chools and courts, and in official docu-

schools and courts, and in official documents.

The expense of garrisons in South Africa to be borne by Great Britain.

The present Boer leaders to be retained in office as far as possible. London, April 14.—The casualty list published this evening shows that the Sth New Zenland regiment lost 100 men killed, and 15 men injured, April 12, in a railroad accident mear Machivie.

OUT ON STRIKE.

Montreal Power Company Employees Want More Wages.

Montreal, April 14.—Two hundred and fifty employees of the Montreal Heat, Light & Power company went on strike this morning for an increase of wages, and a revised schedule of conditions.

SUICIDE.

Wealthy Ontario Farmer Takes His Own Life.

Vankleek Hill, Ont., April 14.—(Special.)—At Jingley's Cerners, on Sunday, Neil McGillivray, a wealthy bachelor farmer, committed suicide by hauging himself in the bush. He had been ailing for some time.

BOXING MATCH.

Articles Signed for a Meeting at Na-

Nanaimo, April 14.—(Special)—Articles for a 20-round boxing contest between Mike Wheelihan and I'red. Wyatt have been signed to take place here a week from Saturday. The fight will have to take place in the opera house, as arrangements have failed with the Athletic club to have it in their rooms.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Ottawa, Ont., April 14.—(Special.)—
Mr. Scott stated in the Senate today that
no decision had been reached about giving Prince Edward Island a million dollars out of the fishery award.

Mr. Sifton stated in the House today,
that over fifteen million acres of land,
carried by railway companies in the Territories, are still unpatented.

FROM LAND OF PLENTY.

Canadian Wheat Sheaves For the Coronation Arch. Winnipeg, April 14.—The first car of Manitoba wheat sheaves for the big Coronation arch to be erected in London similar to the arches erected here in honor of the visit of the Duke of York has left for the East. Five more carbonds will be sent. There are 40 cases of wheat sheaves, many of them seven feet long. They will be shipped from St. John to Liverpool, The carlond shipped was supplied by the immigration department, and is part of the stock collected last year.

BOTH DEAD. Second Principal in Copper Cliff Fight Is Dead.

Toronto, April 14.—(Special)—The At-orney-General's department was ad-vised today that a second fatality has followed the stabbing and shooting afvised today that a second ratarity has followed the stabbing and shooting afray which occurred at Copper Cliff on Sunday, April 6. Peitro Postilia, an Italian, came to town that morning and accused one Beneditto, a Spaniard, with having opened love letters addressed to him. The Spaniard was at the table in the dining room when the Italian entered. The latter promptly fired a revolver, the shot piercing the Spaniard's lung. The latter, though mortally wounded, seized a table knife and plunged it into the Italian's heart, killing him instantly. The Spaniard was taken to the hospital, but now he too has passed away. Both men were employees of the Canadian Copper company.

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LOCAL NEWS

Bishap's Bible Class.—The weekly Bible class at Bishopclose will be held at 3 p. m. by Bishop Perrin.

Annual Meeting.—The adjourned annual meeting of No. 5 company was held at the Drill hall last night, when the dusiness left incomplete at the last meeting was transacted.

Mother's Meeting.—The Spring Ridge Mother's club meets on the first and third Wednesday instead of on Thursdays. The next meeting will be held in the Spring Ridge school on Wednesday at 3 p. m.

horses will also be sent up.

"Way Down East."—Joseph Grismer's cleboration of Lottie Blair Parker's "Way Down East." a story of pastoral life, drew a fairly good audience to the Victoria theatre last evening. The play is not a new one to Victorians, but interest in it does not decrease with the succeeding years. There are a number of anusing characters in the caste, and they were all well taken last evening. This was particularly true of John E. Brennan, as Hi Holler, the chore boy; Charles A. Burke, as Rube Whupfic, the town constable, and Loylo O'Conor, as Martha Perkins, the gossin. The more serious parts are also well sustained, while the stage settings are among the best seen here this season. The snow storm, with the accommanying howling wind, was quite realistic, and made a shiver run through the audience.

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HOPES FOR PEACE.

Meanwhile Kitchener Reports a Series of Fights in South Africa.

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London, April 14.—Replying in the House of Commons today to the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Banner, man, who asked whether any terms of peace had been suggested by the Boer leaders in South Africa, the government leader, A. J. Balfour, said it was impossible at present to say more than that a message had been received on Saturday from the Boer leaders through Lord Kitchener and that a reply had been sent to them. Further communication was expected.

It is said that the communication of the Boer leaders to Lord Kitchener amounted to little more than a request for permission to use the cable in consulting Mr. Kruger and the Boer delegates in Europe regarding a basis for a hopeful feeling in official quarters.

News of severe fighting in the Transval at the end of last week has been sent by Lord Kitchener, who reports that about 200 Boers were killed, wounded or captured. There were about a hundred British casualties. The British also captured three guns and a considerable quantity of supplies. Commandant Potgieter was among the Boers killed.

Lord Kitchener, in a despatch dated

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Lord Kitchener, in a despatch dated from Pretoria, Sunday, April 13, recounts how Colenbrauder, after locating Commandant Beyer's langer at Pzel Kop, moved his force by different routes from Pietersburg, Transvaal Colony, blocking the principal lines of retrent. The fighting commenced on April 8, when the Inniskilling Fusiliers attacked Molispoort, covering the Boer position, and by dusk had siezed a hill eastward of the poort after considerable opposition, resulting in Col. Murray being wounded and Lieut. Lincoln being killed. An officer and five men were wounded. Since then the operations continued daily. Colenbrander's latest report, April 12, gave the Boers' losses in killed, wounded and prisoners as 106 men. The colonel hoped to be able to report further captures.

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The most severe fighting occurred on April 11 in Western Transynal, where Gen. Ian Hamilton has replaced Gen. Methuen in command of the British troops. The Boers attacked Col. Kekewich's force near Rooiwal, and fighting at close quarters ensued. The Boers were repulsed, leaving on the field 44 men killed, including Commandant Potgieter, and 34 wounded. The British captured 20 unwounded prisoners. According to Instance accounts, Gen. Ian Hamilton was pursuing the remainder of the Boers. The British losses in the fight were 6 men killed and 52 wounded. At the beginning of the pursuit Col. Kekewich captured two guns, a pom-pom, a quantity of ammunition, and a number of wagons.

of wagons.

A force of Boers recently overwhelmed a strong British patrol sent out from Bullfontein, Orange River Colony, to clear distant farms. An officer and 2 men were killed, 14 men were wounded and the remaining members of the patrol were surrounded and captured.

Lord Kitchener mentions holding an inquiry into this reverse.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. J. Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Berryman, left this morning for Vancouver, to Join Mr. Bates, of Ames, Holden & Co, They will in future reside in Vancouver.

Rev. Walter W. Baer came down from Nanalmo yesterday to deliver a lecture in Victoria Weet last evening. He is staying at the Dominion hotel.

E. V. Bodwell, K.C., returned yesterday from an Eastern trip.

W. J. Pendray and wife returned by the City of Puebla from a visit to California.

IMITATIONS AND LIGHT WEIGHTS.

A certain well known canned goods packer is putting on the market an imitation of Clark's Pork & Beans in Chili Sauce. It is to your interest to get the genuine as the imitation is light weight to say nothing of the quality.

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PASSENGERS,
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Hon. W. McMillan and wife. Capt. Troup.
Miss Lakdyl, F. Daley, J. A. Morrissey, A.
J. Blomfield, Rev. E. Blyth, Hon, J. Martin, J. T. Brewster, Mrs. Thompson, J. H.
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Toronto Lacrosse Men Easily Defeats Kent Team.

London, April 14.—Toronto Lacrosse club were easy winners in the first match in the series to be played against English and Irish teams. Their opponents were the Kent team, and the Torontos won easily.

QUIET IN BRUSSELS.

Violent Speeches Made But No Out-break.

Brussels, April 14.—The day passed here in perfect tranquility. Several meetings were held in the suburbs during the evening. M. Vendervelde and other Socialist leaders made violent speeches in the vicinity of the Maison du Peuple this evening, but order was maintained.

FOR KING EDWARD,

London, April 14.—King Edward redeved Lord Stratheona and Mount Royal the Canadian High Commissioner in London, today, when Lord Stratheona presented His Majesty with an address and a gold medal from the citizens of Mourtreal, in commemoration of the visit to that city recently of the Prince of Wales.

TO AID WEST INDIES.

Great Britain Will Grant Temporary Assistance to Islands.

Assistance to Islands.

London, April 14—In his budget speech roday, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach announced his intention in the course of this session, to ask parliament for some assistance for the West Indian sugar growing colonies, pending the abolition of the sugar bounties. He gave no indication of the amount he would ask for this purpose, his estimate therefore being included in the general estimate for war expenditure and other items. It is assured, however, that this grant of aid will amount to about \$500,000.

DOMINION COAL AND STEEL. Big Companies Have Decided to Amalgamate Forces,

Montreal, April 14.—(Special.)—At a large attended meeting of the directors of the Dominion Iron & Steel Co., and Dominion Coal company today, it was decided to bring the two companies together under the terms of option which the Dominion Iron & Steel Co. has held for the past two or three years on the property of the Dominion Coal Co. The matter has been freely discussed on the streets, and in the press for some considerable time past, and it was felt by the directors to be in the interests of both institutions that the matter should be finally disposed of. be finally disposed of.

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Major Littleton W. T. Waller, of the United States marine corps, tried by a court martial, on the charge of killing natives of the Island of Samar without trial, has been acquitted. The court stood eleven to two for acquittal.

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The company were compelled to respond to several curtain calls. The attraction at the Victoria tonight is "When Reuben Comes to Town."

The baseball enthusiasts are looking forward to a lively season of their favorite sport. Besides the senior team, a anumber of intermediate and junior teams are being organized to play for the trophies offered by the Victoria club to encourage the younger players. The senior team will be the strongest that the city has had for a number of years, and the members are already getting into shape, several good practices having been held last week at which there was a full attendance. Jack Hithet, who recently returned from San Francisco, intends refunining in the city, and will play short stop, where he will be a power of strength to the team. He is in the best of form, having played on the Olympic club football team of San Francisco during the winter, and has been playing on the ball team of the club since the season opened in California, Schwengers and Holness are always ready to play, and for the rest of the infield the club has the choice of several good players, including Jack Smith, Walter Wrigglesworth, "Doc" Haynes, Harrison and Gus Gowen. George Burnes, Fred. McConnell, and Potts are a trio of outfielders, whom it is hard to beat among the amateurs. The team is also strong in batters. The season opens on May 17, when Vancouver plays here. A week later the Everetts, last year's champions of the Northwest, in the amateur league, will come to Victoria, and on the 31st the University of Washington will be on hand. The Sound teams are getting some good practice, playing against the professional teams. Atniversary Services.—The anniversary services held at the Metropolitan Methodist church on Sunday were largely attended. Three services were held, for besides the usual morning and evening services the anniversary meeting was held in the afternoon, and the pupils of the Sunday school were assembled on the Sunday school were assembled on Large platform. Rev. W. H. Temple, D. D., of Plymouth Congregational church, Seattle, filled the pulpit, and the choir, led by an orchestra under Mr. Parfitt, rendered special music. At the afternoon service Guest's "March of the Hebrews"; Handel's "Largo," and Guitt's "Diamond Jubilea March," were given. Dr. Temple's evening semmon was preached from the text, "Behold the Lamb of God," and it was an eloquent effort. In the afternoon he delivered an address to the school children, and Supt. Lewis read the report showing the progress of the school. Last night the eloquent Seattle divine lectured to large sized audience at the lecture room of the church, on the subject of "Fireside Musings." Congratulatory Messages From the Ladies.

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The annual meeting of the Pacific Kennel club was held at Scattle on Saturday. J. Rede'sheimer was unanimously chosen president; W. W. Peaslee, of Portland, Ore, secretary; and the following committeemen were named: Namaino, Dr. H. Walkem; Victoria, Hon. D. M. Eberts, M. P. P.; Portland, E. F. Willis; Sacramento, W. M. Coffee; Scattle represented ex-officia by its president. The rule which heretofore permitted appropriate of the rule which heretofore permitted appropry to be entered at the age of four months was amended to exclude any puppy from a P. K. L. show under the geo of six months. The secretary was instructed to prepare a handsome diploma and certificate to be awarded to dogs who have and will become champions of record under the rules, Much enthusiasm over the magnificent strides which the league has made since its organization three years ago, was manifested and it was the unanimous sense of the delegates present that the best interests of Pacific Coast functions demanded its continued existence. Notice is hereby given that it is my in-ention to apply at the next sitting of the deceasing Court, for a transfer to John Jordon Thomson, of the license now held by me to sell splittuous and fermented quors by retall upon the premises known is the Retreat Saloon, situated at the cor-ier of Yates and Blanchard streets, in the ity of Victoria. or of Yates and Blanchard control of Victoria.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1902.

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Victoria Building Society.

On Sunday some good baskets of trout were taken on the lakes along the line of the E. & N. railway, and near the city. F. Janes caught two more large fish in Prospect lake, one weighing four pounds, five ounces, and the other two pounds eight ounces.

The executive of the Victoria Lacrosse club will meet this evening to diseass the question of practice grounds and for other business.

The teams of the Northwest Baseball league are getting into shape by playing against the amateur teams in their respective cities. The season opens on the 29, when Helena plays Seattle at the latter city.

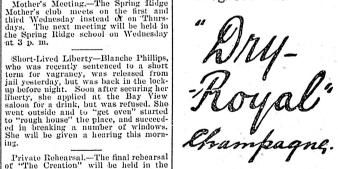
A whist tournament, which lasted for six months, has just been completed at the Central firehall. F. Leroy was the victor and Chief Watson was second. The 86th Drawing of the above Society adjourned from Friday last for want of a quorum, will be held at the Secretary's Office, 15 Trounce Avenue, on Friday, the 18th April, 1902 at 8 p.m.

See that your shares are in good stand-A. ST. G. FLINT, Secretary.

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Private Rehearsal.—The final rehearsal of "The Creation" will be held in the Metropolitan Methodist church tonight. Miss Bradly arrived from Tacoma yesterday morning, and will be present at the rehearsal, as, will also Mr. A. T. Goward and Mr. Herbert Taylor. For obvious reasons the rehearsal will be strictly private. Members of the chorus only will be admitted to the church. As this rule will be rigidly enforced, the management are anxious that the public should be made aware of its existence. Members of the chorus will receive cards at the doors, on which will be stated their position on the platform, and it is hoped that everybody will attend.

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tend. To Commence Shipping.—Among the passengers from the North by the stemmer Danube were Messrs. Gwin, Clarke and Lea, who recently acquired a rich copper property on Quatsino Sound. They crossed the Island from the Sound to Hardy Bay on the east coast, and caught the steamer on her down trip. The ore on the property in question is on the surface, there being a huge bluff of it, and all that is required to get it out is to do ordinary blasting. In a few days a miner got out 150 tons ready for shipment. The first shipment of 600 tons to the smelter will be made about the middle of next month, and from then regular shipments will be made. Lumber for the camp and wharf to be built at salt water will be sent up on the next trip of the Queen City. Fifteen horses will also be sent up. "Way Down East."—Joseph Grismer's

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M'DONALD — At the residence of her mother, North Saanleh, on the 12th fust., Margaret, beloved daughter of Johan and the late Donald McDonald, aged 27 years, and a native of North Saanich.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2 p. m. from above residence to the North Saanich cemetery.

KKING—On the 6th inst, at Harriet Bay, B. C., James King, a native of Michigan, U. S. A.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, the 17th, from the residence of Michael King, 30 Caledonia Ave, at 1:30 p. m., and 2 o'clock from the Roman Catholic Cathedral. dral.
Friends will please accept this intimation.

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Mortgage Sale

Thursday, 17th April, 1902.

Under and by virtue of the newer of sale contained in a certain mortrage dated the 20th day of December, 1892, and registered on the 10th January, 1893, in Charge Book, Vol. 11. Folio 633, and numbered 1400th, Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, the 17th April, 1902, for the purchase of the following property:

Alt that certain piece pr parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, and known as Lot 7 (seven), of Sub-division Lot 39 (thirty nine), Fernwood Estate, according to the plan of said Estate, deposited in the Victoria Land Registry Office, and numbered One Hundred and Sixty-Four (104.) The property in question comprises a well built and most convenient dwelling house, desirably situated on Harrison street, Victoria, B. C.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For particulars apply to ROBBRT WARD & COMPANY, LIMITED. Agents for Mortragees,

Temple Building, Victoria, B. C.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of Henry Short, Deceased. IN THIS MATTER of the Estate of Henry Short, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having calinas or demnads upon or against the estate of Henry Short, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands, duly verified, and the nature of the securities (if any), held by them, and all persons indebted to the said deceased, are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned H. Dalias Helmeken, and Susan Short, the executor and executiva of the personal estate of the said deceased, at No. 20 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., on or before the fact of the said deceased, at No. 20 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., on or before the best of the said executivation of the said deceased. Henry Short, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have then had notice and that the said executor and executivation the said executor and executivation the liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim they have not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this fourth day of April, 1002.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, SUSAN SHORT.

or April, 1902.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
SUSAN SHORT,
Executor and Executrix of the above-named
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NOTICE.

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Logislative Assembly of the Province or British Columbia at its present session, for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equipmaintain and operate a single or double line of railway, to be operated by steam, electricity or any other mode or power, at and from the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, thence northwest by the most feasible route to a point at or near Seymour Narrows in the said Province of British Columbia, and with power to construct, establish, maintain and continually operate a railway ferry steam-ship service for the purpose of transferring for reward, passengers and passenger and freight cars from the said onto a rolar on the Maintain of the Province of British Columbia, and with power to on the Maintain and with further powers to build, equip, maintain and operate branches of the said railway; and operate branches of the said railway; and with nower to build and operate transways in connection with the said railways and branches and with power to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat, power, and for all, any and every other purpose mentioned in Sections 80, 81, 82 and 83 of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and to do everything necessary or incidental to the company by Parts IV, and V. of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and with power to send to the company by Parts IV, and V. of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and to do everything necessary or incidental to the company, sund every other purpose mentioned in Sections 80, 81, 82 and 83 of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and to do everything necessary or londental to the company, sund every other purpose mentioned in Sections 80, 81, 82 and 83 of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and to do everything necessary or on consultation of the carry on a general express business, and to build, maintain and operate bridges, roads, ways, ferries what railway and in advance

Tramway Company Incorpora-

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as section 10, the said tramway trict.
The general route of the said tramway will be in a straight line between the points above mentioned.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of March, 1802.
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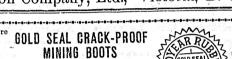
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TENDERS

Will be received up to 4 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday. 23rd inst., for erection of a stone building on corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets, for the Congregational

Panogra Section, A. Church, Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. George Carter, Broad St. Tenders must be properly scaled, endorsed "Tender for Church Building," and addressed to "The Building Committee, Congregational Church, care of George Carter, Broad Street."

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Cancellation of Reserve on Foreshore Tidal Land.



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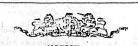
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WM. SCOWCROFT, Secretary.



Notice is hereby given that the reservation on foreshore and tidal land, notice
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is cancelled. Any person desirous of acquiring a lease of uny foreshore or tidal
land must take steps to acquire the same
in the manner provided by section 41 of the
"Land Act," after the expiration of three
(3) months from the date of this notice.

Chief Commissioner of Lands and
Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria,
B. C., 8th April, 1902.



Notice is hereby given that the sitting f the Supreme Court as a Court of Assize, yer and Terminer and General Gaol Devery, fixed to be held at the City of Victia on the 6th duy of May, 1902, is can-elled.

By command.

J. D. PRENTICE,
Acting Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 8th April,
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Motions Condemning Bank of B. N. A. Withdrawn - Bylaws Advanced a Stage.

The City council met last evening, His Worship Mayor Hayward presiding, and all the aldermen being present.

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Communications were then read as follows:

From B. C. Electric Railway company, enclosing some copies of the report of the company's annual report. Filed. As this report contained certain satisfactory statements regarding the business and prospects of this city, instructions were given to have one sent to the general manager of the Bank of British North America.

From the same company, rehears.

ing for such permission as was required.
This letter led to a brief debate, after which the procedure adopted in the case of the Vernon block was followed, and the matter referred to a committee All parties to attend this evening.

From F. J. Hall, renewing his request or water connections on North Park

From the Superior court, a summons to attend on the 16th instant, and ap-prove of a subdivision survey at the cor-uer of Cadboro Bay and Pemberton toads. Referred to the city solicitor. From Superintendent Jr. H. Eaton, of the city schools, regarding the removal of a sewer on Fernwood road. Reterred. From A. J. McLellan asking that permission be given him to build a side-walk alongside the fence about his property. Referred to a committee composed of Ald. Yates, Worthington and Kinsman and the city engineer.

From M. Lamp, B. C. Mining Record, conveying his thanks to the city for a share of the civic advertising patronage. Filed.

Filed.

From W. W. Northcott, reporting that the petition for a stone bridge had been signed by 217 ratepayers, 169 of whom were assessed for \$2,776,300, which was considerably more than the percentage and the such oasses. required in such cases.

From Geo. R. Orton, applying for the position of milk inspector and enclosing references. Laid on the table.

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From Mrs. Basso, asking for a side-walk on Rock Bay and complaining of a bad drain. Referred.

From Thomas Farr, Hereward street, complaining of the byre wash from a neighboring stable kept by Mr. James. This ran down under his house, he claimed. Some weeks ago a Mr. Walker had made a similar complaint against this cow byre, but Ald. Kinsman explained that the matter was being attended to. Filed.

REPORTS.

These were read as follows:
By the city solicitor, reporting upon several cases of encroachments on the public highways, and advising on the course to be followed in each case. Re-

James Bay flats work and was also

passed.
By the Streets, Bridges and Sewers committee, disposing of certain requests for civic improvements as follows:

Gentlemen.—I have the honer to report upon the matters referred to me by the streets, bridges and sewers committee's report of last month, as follows:

With regard to encroachments generally inpon the city streets and not hereafter specifically mentioned. I have conferred with the City Singheer, and have had plans prepared showing the encroachments, and have prepared a form of notice which accompanies this letter to be served upon the various persons encroaching. I beg on divise that where it is necessary to have a fence put back, the bare cost of removal and re-espection should be tendered in each case. streets, bridges and sewers committee's report of last month, as follows:

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Where, as in the special case hereafter alluded to, buildings have to be removed, some further consideration is necessary.

I beg specially to report on the following matters:

RE DRAIN ON BEACON STREET.

I have had a plan prepared showing the position of the house on the street occur.

I have had a plan prepared showing the position of the house on the street occupied by the squatter Phillips, and showing the position of his fence, in St. Andrew street, and having searched the title at the Land Registry, beg to report the position shortly as follows:

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From the same company, rehearsing the conditions of its offer to aid in the erection of a steel bridge and stating that as a stone bridge would take a long time to build, they would be obliged to withdraw their offer. Referred, Mr. Goward to be asked to attend tonight's meeting of the Streets and Bridges committee.

From Pooley, Luxton & Pooley, on behalf of the Esquimalt Waterworks company, pointing out that the closing of the Craigillower road would seriously affect that company, and protesting a cordingly against such closing, as such an extended the title at the Land Registry, beg to report the position shortly as follows:

Street, and having scarched the title at the Land Registry, beg to report the position shortly as follows:

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The Hudson Bay company sold section 2 to Mr. Dallas Estates and Bridges commany, and prome that several attended and filed a plan, No. 231, showing a 60-foot road on St. Andrew street, and a 60-foot road on S

ation. Referred.

From F. W. Patton, secretary of the Trades and Labor council, enclosing a resolution protesting against the acceptance of the Carnegie offer towards a citylibrary. This has already been published in full.

From W. Ridgway Wilson on behalf of Messrs. Ker, owners of the Balmoral block, on Douglas street, stating that his application to have a third story crected on that block had been refused, and asting for such permission as was required. This letter led to a brief debate, after which the procedure adopted in the

opinion, without lawful excuse.
It would appear, however, that the fence probably existed at the time the sub-division was made in 1891, and the safer course in this case will also be by action for possession if notice to remove does not produce the desired result.

From F. J. Hall, renewing his request for water connections on North Parks street. This matter having been disposed of before, the clerk was instructed to write Mr. Hall upon the position of the matter and to file the letter.

From the Superior court, a summons to attend on the 16th instant, and approve of a subdivision survey at the corner of Cadboro Bay and Pemberton loads. Referred to the city solicior.

RE ENCROACHMENT ON RUSSELL ST. RE ENCROACHMENT ON RUSSEIA ST.

I beg to report that I have had plan prepared and searches made at the Land Registry. Mr. Mable and Mrs. C. McKay have fences encroaching on Russell street 15 feet 7 inches, whilst the Land Registry plan shows that they have, by their title deeds, if removed to the street line, all the land they are entitled to. The difficulty in these cases appears to be caused by action of the owners of the sub-divisional loss. If the control of the sub-divisional loss is the control of the sub-divisional loss. If the control of the sub-divisional loss is the control of the sub-divisional loss. If the control of the sub-divisional loss is the control of the sub-divisional loss. If the control of the sub-divisional loss is the control of the sub-divisional loss. If the control of the sub-divisional loss is the control of the sub-divisional loss in the sub-divisional loss. If the sub-divisional loss is the sub-divisional loss is the sub-divisional loss in the sub-divisional loss in the sub-divisional loss is the sub-divisional loss in the sub-divisional loss in the sub-divisional loss is the sub-divisional loss in the sub-

RE ENOROACHMENT ON FORT STREET BY DR. MORRISON. RE ENOROACHMENT ON FORT STREET
BY DR. MORRISON.

I have had plan prepared and had search
made at the Land Registry. I beg to report there is an encroachment of the line
of street of 1½ feet by a wooden building.
The title deed shows that I Dr. Morrison
removes his buildings back to the street
line he will have all he is entitled to. No
compensation therefore need be tendered
him for the 1½ feet by a the consider he is entitled to have tendered to him the cost, to
be carefully estimated, of the removal and
re-erection of the street wall of his buildling
yith regard to the recovery of the cost
of removal of fences when the amendments now before the Legislature become
law, the city, if they have to do the work,
will have ample security and, although I
althink no work should be done until the
amendment becomes law. RRADBIHN.

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J. M. BRADBURN.

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By the Committee on Finance, recommending the payment of various city accounts to the amount of \$4,680. Usual course. A further report appropriated \$10,000 towards a payment on the Chance Ontone of the course of the control of the sale street, and you are hereby supported to the sale street, and you are hereby control of the sale street, and take notice that in default of your compliance with notice within one of the sale street, and will seek to recover the costs of removal the properties of the corporation will cause the same hereof, the Corporation will cause the same hereof the same hereof the NOTICE TO REMOVE ENCROACH-MENTS UPON STREETS.

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quantity of land to which you are entitled withmout such portion on the atreet.

Dated this _____ day of _____ day of ______CITY ENGINEER. By the city solicitor, as follows:

SURFACE DRAINS, PTC 1. Re Chinese ranch, Edmonton road, companied of by the sanitary inspector. Recommended that the owners be asked to meet the Council to show cause, if any, why the unsanitary buildings should not be

meet the Council to Show cause, if any, why the unsanitary buildings should not be removed.

2. Re Outlet surface drain, Cedar Hill, Recommended that this matter be referred to the city engineer for report.

3. Re drainage, Walnut street, Recommended that this matter be referred to the city engineer for report.

4. Re communication from James Wilson, sanitary inspector, in regard to the unsanitary condition of surface drains generally. Recommended that this communication be laid on the table.

Re communication of F. J. Norris, asking for a surface drain, Ontario street, from St. Lawrence street casterly. Recommended that this communication be surface drain be laid at a cost not exceeding, \$50, and the laid at a cost not exceeding training on Hereward street, Responmended that a box drain be laid down on the west side of the street for 500 feet, at a sost not exceeding \$50.

7. Re play draining on Hereward street, Regommended that no remember on road, to carry off the drainage of low-lying properly there. Recommended that the blue be laid, provided the owner of the property in question will contribute a sum of \$60 to the work. Total estimated cost \$200.

8. Re convaninction from John Cotsford in regard to a drain through the Indian reserve. Recommended that the wore of

their premises with said pipe drains as soon as laid.

SDWERS.

11. He communication of S. Banner, required was the sewer on McClore be exembled was rived for the sewer on McClore be exembled was rived for the sewer on McClore be exembled was rived for the sewer on McClore be exembled was rived for the sewer on McClore be exembled was rived for the sewer on McClore be exembled for the sewer on McClore be done, provided Messus, Moore & Whittington, for a sower on George street. Recommended that this work be done, provided Messus, Moore & Whittington, for a sower on George to will contribute the sun of \$100 to wards the work. Total cost about \$225.

13. Re communication from R. J. Porter, requesting the extension of the sewerage system on Superior street, Recommended amount he would be willing to contribute in order to have the work done.

IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS.

14. Re communication of Dr. Milne's, reextension of Birdcage Walk to Carr street. Recommended that Dr. Milne be informed of the estimated cost of the work, viz: \$7,500, and of the report by the city engineer, giving assessment on the various portions of real property which would be sentially be a seven of the second of the settinated cost of the work, viz: \$7,500, and of the report by the city engineer, giving assessment on Taylor Parsell, requesting the improvement of Jesse street. Recommended that the street be graded and a box drain laid thereon at a cost not exceeding \$110.

15. Re communication of David Parsell, requesting the improvement of Pandora avenue, between Stanley and Belmont avenue. Estimated cost \$375. Recommended that this matter be laid over. Estimated cost \$550.

17. Re communication of Mrs, Lowe, requesting the improvement of Quadra street in front of her residence. Recommended in the second of the s

laid over. Estimated cost \$550.

17. Re communication of Mrs. Lowe, requesting the improvement of Quadra street in front of her residence. Recommended that a sum not exceeding \$25 be expended in gravelling this street.

18. Re communication of F. Hedges, destring the improvement of Simeoe street, between Montreal street and Dalias road. Recommended that a sum not exceeding \$250 be expended in improving this street.

SIDEWALKS.

SIDEWALKS Recommended that sidewalks be laid as

Recommended that such was be dut as follows:

10. Stanley avenue, cast side, between Cadboro Bay road and Pandora avenue; cost not to exceed \$37.

20. Powderly avenue, north side, between Bean street and Dominion road; cost not cast cost and the street and Belton avenue; cost not to exceed \$33.

21. Dean street, east side, between Powderly avenue and Belton avenue; cost not to exceed \$33.

22. Oakland avenue, west side, between Cedar Hill road and Lansdowne road; cost not to exceed \$300.

23. Cinder sidewalk, First street; cost not to exceed \$300.

24. Concrete sidewalk around Masonic

to exceed \$30.

24. Concrete sidewalk around Masonic Temple building: cost to the city \$73.

25. Concrete sidewalk in front of Scholfeld block, corner Bustion and Langley streets, and down Bastion street to Wharf street; total cost \$555.

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SUNDRY RECOMMENDATIONS.

26. He communication from the city engineer respecting a portable engine and boller for the rock crusher, at an estimated cost of \$1.350. Recommended that this matter be laid over.

27. He communication from the B. C. Electric Railway company, in regard to Government street block paying. Recommended that the City Council express regrets that this work will be delayed so long, on account of the non-arrival of street rails, etc.

28. He communication of John Hargerty's offering to substitute spilb stone in place of rubble, at \$3.55 per cuble yard. Recommended that no change be made in the present communication of Herbert Cuthbert, upon the subject of dirty streets. Recommended that Mr. Cuthbert be informed that the matter will receive the attention of the Council.

30. Re communication from water commissioner upon the subject of the waste of water in flushing sowers and surface drains and suggesting a remedy. Recommended that the suggestion of the water commissioner be adopted. Cost not to exceed \$500.

Re communication of A. J. McLellan, asking for the removal of rock on a street adjoining his property fronting on the Gorge read.

cond. Recommended that this matter be and over.

32. Recommended that the sower on Fredrick street be extended easterly at an expenditure not exceeding \$1,200.

33. Recommended that a box drain be laid down on North Pandora street and Belmont avenue; cost not to exceed \$100, on condition that Mr. Kligham contributes one-third of the cost.

Your committee have given the matter of the structure to be erected at Point Ellice their careful consideration, but have not as yet been able to reach a definite circle of the structure to be created at Control of your committee that it again on Tuesday met. The consideration of the structure of the structur

This was filed.

MOTIONS. On leave of the council, Ald, McCand-less and Worthington withdow their several motions concerning the Bank of B, N. A. for the remarks on this city published in the recent report of that

bublished in the recent report of that corporation.

Ald Barnard's resolution to simplify the procedure of the council then came up. That alderman showed how much time was lost in making the laborious circuit of the city officials now required.

Ald. Yates thought that most of the letters of the citizens should come before the council itself, at the same time side-walk and other street works were only delayed by the present way of doing things. Ald. Cameron favored the handling of all communications in some more expeditious way. On motion, the matter was then referred to a committee consisting of Ald. Barnard, Cameron and Yates.

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By the city engineer. This was dealt with seriatim with the fellowing results:
That a box drain asked for by W. O. McLachlan for Oswego street be put in between Simose to Michigan.

That the trees on Clarence street complained of by S. Sutton be permitted to be cut down by that lady, she being responsible for all damages.
The encroachment complained of by Messrs, Fell & Gregory on Catherine and Bella streets, in Victoria West, was laid over.

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mates for the current year—was also dinally passed.

The revenue by-law on being taken up was again laid over.

The wood-sawing by-law was also chard street, on Store street at Fort street, on Battery street, on Bellott street at Cook street on Yates between Douglas and Blan chard streets, on Store street at Fis the worsening by an was also stood over pending its re-casting.

The curfew by-law was then reached and given its first reading.

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BY-LAWS.

The by-law defining the duties of certain municipal officers was then completed in the committee stage and finally passed with some clerical amendments.

The expenditure by-law—the esti-

guard street. The council then adjourned. THE AGONY OF SLEEPLESSNESS

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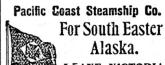
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Mackenzie & Mann in entrusting the locument to him would have been hand-ing it over to the government. Now, how do the members of the opposition wake out their case? They ask us to ecept the extraordinary proposition that Messrs, Mackenzie & Mann had the government at their mercy because it was in a moribund condition, and that the government hired Mr. Greenshields to assist in squeezing itself to death. They claim that a moribund government made a contract with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, which is very bad for the country, and that the governnent made this contract because it was weak in the country, and that the con-

ract which is ruinous to the country has made the government more worth of death than it was before the conare face to face with the fact that the government is stronger than when it entered into the contract. What a tissue of absurdity! When a government which is moribund enters into a that usually puts a finish to the govern-ment altogether. In what way could it possibly assist a weak government, to

hand the country over to a railway company as the present government is accused of doing? The people of all countries are extremely jealous of corporations, and particularly of railway corporations: Yet here is a government which, it is said, betrayed its trust from the people, to a corporation of the kind of which the people are particularly jealous, and yet derived sufficient access of strength by so doing to recover its health after it had been given over by the doctors. The members of the op-position would actually have us believe that Mr. Greenshields would not deliver the contract at a critical moment be-

cause he had the government by throat, and that at the same time he was acting as the agent of the government whose windpipe they say he was compressing. They say moreover, that the whole object of the negotiations with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, was to carry the Victoria election, to manufacture a glittering bait to daugle before the electors of Victoria. If so, why was the bait not dangled, why was the contract not produced on the 8th of March? If there was no solid business behind it, if there did not occur the inbehind it, if there tild not occur who were evitable hitches between parties who mean business, if Mr. Greenshields was simply a glittering bait manufacturer, hired by the government as such, why

did he not appear on the platform on the 8th of March? Was it not because Mr. Greenshields was in Victoria repesenting his clients, Messrs, Mackenzie & Mann, and because he would not pre-judice their interests or violate their instructions, to assist an election fight? Yet, if he had been the agent of the government for the purpose insinuated by have been entirely controlled by the paramount obligation of keeping the gov-ernment in power? The members of the opposition have shot far beyond the The object of at least one mem The members of the opposition are ber of the opposition has been to show that the members of the government endeavoring to prove that Mr. Green-shields acted in a dual capacity in the negotiations between the government and

entered into these railway negotiations Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, by a more that they hired Mr. Greenshields to assist them. Here indeed would have been a dual capacity of criminal significance, and as such dear to the heart and imagination of the member for Rossland in judging of motives other than those which inspire himself, a dual capacity of criminal significance, expressed by him with that recklessness of assertion for which he is famous, and reinforced by those methods of tortuous insinuation of which he is a past master. But when the other members of the opposition talk about a dual capacity what do they mean? Are they endeavoring in an in direct way to buttress the charges made by the member for Rossland which they have already repudiated? If so, it is little creditable to either their courage or their honesty.

> they must be doing. They cannot escape from these alternatives. ANOTHER CONSPIRACY.

harping with driveling insistence upon a phrase they have not taken the trouble

to analyse and whose bearings they per

haps have not the brains to compre

hend? One or other of these two things

It is usual for telegraph companies to fidential. We do not see how the business of a community could possibly be transacted if it were otherwise. Telean inviolate medium of communication between man and man. They do not admit that they are a medium which may be intercepted even at the instance of a judge, or to further the ends of justice. They fight to the bitter end against disclosing any of the correspondence which has passed through their hands, and they never yield except to superior force. There is a great deal to be said for them. They bid courts, and judges intercept the written messages, bring them forward from those who have either sent or received them, and not from the agency which has automatically transmitted them. So well is this recognized that the power of the law to make a elegraph company exhibit copies of messages is only used in cases of grave emergency, and under wise restrictions. Still the telegraph companies object to having them produced at all, and only do so when compelled. For that reason presumably. Mr. Christie, the manager of the C. P. R. telegraph company destroyed the data in his possession which might assist the Royal Commission or the member for Rossland in specifying copies of telegrams of which the procopies of telegrams of which the production might be demanded. Mr. Christie's point of view is not the government's point of view, nor is it Mr. Curtis' point of view, nor is it the Commissioner's point of view; it is the point of view of the telegraph company. is, of course, merely a symptom that this gigantic conspiracy which involves the members of the government, Messrs Mackenzie & Mann, Mr. Greenshields, sundry newspaper reporters, and various other people, should in its ramifications and extensions embrace also the telegraph companies and their employees. In fact we think that it will go on

spreading until it takes in a great ma-

jority of the human race; and we all

know what happens when the whole

human race, in the interest of greed, oppression, injustice and robbery, con-

spire against a lonely and sacrosanct in-

GOOD FOR VICTORIA.

We are too often apt to depreciate ourselves and our city, nor must it be said do gentlemen like the chairman of the Bank of British North America encourage us to take a more cheerful outook. It is therefore pleasant to see the business management of a concern heavily interested in Victoria, take a resente view of Victoria's prospects. In his re-port to the shareholders of the B. C. Electric Railway company the chairman made some remarks about Victoria decidedly encouraging to those resident and interested in the city. After showing how the population served by the company's lines had grown from 19,341 in 1891 to 28,771 in 1901, placing the resident population over 2,000 in excess of the similar population the company has to depend on for revenue in Vancouver, he went on to say:

of the similar population the company has to depend on for revenue in Vancouver, he went on to say:

In comparing the population of the cities of Victoria and Vancouver, one is led from the census acturns to think that Vancouver is by far the larger city, but in reality it is probable the two cities are about equal in point of population. The city limits of Vancouver are extremely extended, and reach beyond the present town on all sides. The nature of the peninsula on which Vancouver is principally built has caused it to be settled thickly, whereas the open country around Victoria has tended to make the city spread out beyond its stoutiory limits, and thick settlements such as those on the Esquimalt road, Saanich road and at Oak Bay, are not included in the census returns of the city. It is in these newly settled districts that the increase in population is most remarkable, and the census returns of Victoria give an entirely false impression/in this particular. The figures given above are substantially accurate, and the totals should be considered as the real total population of Victoria.

Owing to the wide area which the city covers, the improvement in Victoria is by no means so easily remarked as that of Vancouver, but after residing here for a week or ten days, one is anone the less struck with it. The great improvement in the business section of the city, where large permanent buildings have replaced the old-fashioned colonial stores, being especially noticeable, and the large number of really fine country residences which have sprung up round the outskirts, being quite remarkable. A number of new hotels have sprung futo existence; this is probably due to the popularity of the town, firstly, as a tourist estination and outlook, and fresh healthy summers, and secondly, to the large influx into the town during the period that the legislature is situation, and routs of Brussels, as the finest public buildings that I have seen.

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The corporation are now at work The corporation are now at work on the construction of a masonry embankment on the site of the old James Baybridge. The tidal flats behind thatbridge are to be fifed in and turned into a public flower garden. They have also adopted their plans for a handsome stone and steel bridge at Point Ellice, and tenders have been advertised for. These works will put the finishing touches to the natural beauties of the harbor.

works will put the finishing touches to the natural beauties of the harbor.

I spent four weeks alkogether at the Mount Baker hotel at the terminus of our Oak Bay branch, which my party acreed was the anost delightful summer resort we had any of us ever visited. This hotel 4s now a feature of Victoria and of our railway; it is large and comfortable, and thoroughly up-to-date, without being luxurious, and its arrangements are admirable. The view across the Mediterrenean blue waters of the Straits of San Juan de Puea to the white-capped Olympian range, crowned by Mount Baker, is magnificent.

The Oak Bay branch, on which only two or three houses existed when I left in 1896, now runs through a continual succession of pretty residences, whilst the city end, and between the Oak Bay branch and the exhibition extension, a considerable settlement has sprung into existence, and there are now a considerable number, which is annually increasing, of residences round the shows of Oak Ray itself, forming a very attractive suburb of the city.

What the chairmen of this company

What the chairmen of this company says is a correct statement of fact. beauty of the environs of this city causes its population to exhibit a much centrifugal tendency than 'is under present conditions in Van-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

ICE AT ALBERNI.

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Sir,—In Sunday's issue Capt. Walbran notes that the head of the Alberni canal was frozen in the year 1861? early 1862, and the ship vogalontus frozen in, inferring incidentally that the ship was detained for six weeks by ice, where her name was painted on the rocks. I was in charge of a vesse belonging to the Alberni Mill Co., and frozen in on that occasion for a few days (certainly not over ten), and lay just clear of the wharf, and the Pocahontus about 100 yards from my vessel, londing shipped or a European port, the first spars about 100 yards from my vessel, bending shipped or a European port, the first spars along the control of the first parts along sit were exhausted, then they had some sit we were calculated to the control of the first was the first parts of the first was the first parts. The Pocahontus, on sailing up the canal, piloted by the Indian agent. Wur. Bendahl were leasing both ship and schooner. The Pocahontas, on sailing up the caual, ploted by the sailing up the caual, ploted by the sailing and sailing

BOUNDARY ORE VALUES AND MINING

COSTS.

Sir,—in an editorial published in the April number of the B. C. Mining Record, which has just come to hand, it is made to appear that I quoted the New York Engineering and Mining Journal as having stated in regard to copper values of Boundary ores. "The copper ores throughout the district yield on an average about one-third per cent of copper." What I did quote was "1.3 per cent of copper," and this was 4ransferred by the printer to "one-third," thereby making it appear that the copper value was given at only about one-fourth of that I really did quote. As the Mining Record is a monthly publication I ask the favor of at once making this correction through the medium of your columns, so that the Boundary may not remain longer than is absolutely necessary without having this simple justice done to it.

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main longer than is absolutely necessary without having this simple justice done to it. Whilst upon this subject of Boundary without having this subject of Boundary without having this subject of Boundary mining I should like to be permitted to express grave doubt as to the reliability of express grave doubt as to be permitted by Mr. Rowland Machin, publiched recently in the Victoria Times, and reprinted by other newspapers. Mr. Machin is reported to have said, in part, that the Grandy Company is "privately rumored" to be making "over \$3,000 per day," and that "the present cost of mining the resulting to the making "over \$3,000 per day," and that "the present cost of mining under similar conditions at the Mother Lode mine, where they are to day quarrying it out of the "glory hole as a cost of mining under similar conditions at the Bonndary, but it is not all the truth. Mr. Machin may mean to convey that ore quarrying only is being done at forty-five cents per ton, but if he means that the total cost of mining, including the stoping and holsting of ore from the underground levels, which both the mines mentioned are also done, right along, then his state-total cost of mining, including the stoping and holsting of ore from the underground levels, which both the mines mentioned are also done, right along, then his state-total cost of mining including the stoping of the profit the Granby company is "privately rumored" to be making—taking the tonnuge smelted with four furnaces running right along as Licelar. Regarding the profit the Granby company is "privately rumored" to be making—taking the tonnuge smelted with four furnaces running right along as Licelar. Recarding the tonnuge smelted with four furnaces running right along as run, this

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Sir.—Your correspondent, signing "A Friend of the High School," whose letter appeared in Sunday 1880, could not have a sunday 1880, could n

misunderstanding.

To the Editor:—In the report of the meeting of the school board which appeared in the Colonist this morning I am reported to have expressed the opinion that the "High school was not doing as good work as it might." I regret that this should have been the interpretation of what I said, as it would have been very unfair to the star of that school to have made such a charge. So far, I have not had an opportunity of judging of the work done, but I am assured by the inspector that it is very satisfactory. My objection to any unnecessary expenditure in connection with the High school was my desire to retrench as much as possible, and yet deal fairly with the wird schools. I thought I said that the "High school had not progressed as it might," and my meaning was only in resulting the control of the work of one of our most important educational institutions.

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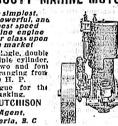
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A.—I don't know.
Q.—Have you any idea?
A.—No.
Q.—Five times?
A.—No.
A.—No: more than that.
Q.—One hundred times?
A.—More than that, I think.
Q.—Two hundred times?
A.—About that, I should think.
Q.—How much does the carriage weigh?

A.—I don't know.
Q.—Half a pound?
A.—At least that.
Q.—And you say you lift it about two
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LOCAL NEWS.

Whiskey Stolen.—A few evenings ago the warehouse of the Earsman-Wilson company, on Wharf street, was entered and two cases of Scotch whiskey stolen.

The bottles were removed from the cases. It is thought the whiskey was taken away on a steamer.

Final Rehearsal.—The final and full rehearsal for the "Creation" will be held tonight in the Metropolitan Methodist church at 8 o'clock. It is very important that every one of the chorus should attend as the whole work is to be gone through, and all the soloists will be there.

Thirst Victims.—There were two thirst victims in the City Police court yesterday. One who had quenched his thirst on Sunday, during the hours that the saloons are supposed to be closed, was taxed \$5, and the other, an ordinary, every-day drunk, was fined but \$2.50. Both paid up.

Accidental Death .- The coroner's jury

empanelled to inquire into the cause of he death of James Applewhite, whose ody was found at the foot of an electric ight pole on Toronto street on Saturday

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Comes to Town," at the Victoria Theatre tonight, recently received a letter
from a Philadelphia critic to the following effect: "While in New York I witnessed a performance of 'Miss Anna
Held in "The Little Duchess," which,
according to advertisement and reputation, has the most beautiful chorus of
any production on the boards at the present time. Last night I witnessed the
performance of "When Reuben Comes
to Town," and, I must confess, experienced a surprise upon seeing your
much advertised "Prize Beauty" chorus. As far as pretty girls are concernmuch advertised "Trize Beauty" chorus. As far as pretty girls are concerned, you have outclassed the best aggregations of the day. I have never seen
such a beavy of beautiful women in any
one organization, and your production
fully warrants the success with which it
is meeting."

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BUSINESS POINTERS

Stripes are now the rage in gents' suits for summer wear, as shown by the latest London and New York patterns pust received at Alex. Peden's, the merchant tailor, 36 Fort street. Don't fail to call in and examine them.

The 20 per cent. discount sale still continues at the Sterling, 39 Government street.

street.

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As might be expected, crowds of people are visiting the great shughter sale of dry goods advertised by Wescott Bros., S8 Yates street, anxious to take davantage of the first opportunity to se-

Bros., SS Yates street, anxious to take dadvantage of the first opportunity to secure some of the thousands of bargains advertised elsewhere in this paper. This is an opportunity in a lifetime, and one that the wise buyers will be sure to take advantage of.

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The Royal Commission

Mr. McBride the Principal Witness Examined During the Day.

Question of Producing Telegrams Decided-Finder of the Papers.

Even the presence of Mr. McBride eader of the opposition, in the witness box at yesterday morning's sitting of the royal commission, failed to revive much public interest in its investigations who came in and out to see how matters For the Farmers.—"The Cow Pea" is the title of the latest publication issued by the Experimental farm of the North Carolina State Horticultural society, at Southern Pines, N. C. This book, nearly bound and illustrated in plain and corcise manner, discusses the value and uses of this important crop, the cow pea. Every reader can get a copy free by writing to the superintendent of the Experimental farm, Southern Pines, N.C. were getting on. Of course, several of his following in the legislature were there, but even their interest desultory. In the course of his evidence nothing new was brought out in support of the charges, the only points of inter est being his sweeping statement that est being his sweeping statement that none of the ministers of Hon Mr. Dunsmuir's government had been intentionally guilty of any grave wrong towards the people in the matters at issue, and that the "straight" opposition, as lead by him, had not approved of the charges made by Mr. Curtis. The greater part of his evidence, however, was upon the part played by Mr. Greenshields in the negotiations regarding the Canadian Northern contract. Upon this he was cross-examined at considerable length by Mr. Cassidy, but in spite of his numerous reflections upon the ministerial and other utterances touching the matter, could not be got to say whether he believed or did not believe the explanations and statements of Hon. Mr. Wells or Mr. Greenshields upon this matter, D. A. Upper, of the Western Union Telegraph company, was the first witness called. He had not brought any telegrams with him and would not do so unless telegrams of special dates were asked for. This led to a long speech from Mr. Curtis, but the Commissioner would not issue a special warrant to go through the thousands of telegrams of file in that office. He was then ordered to bring the account books of the telegraph company with the government, so none of the ministers of Hon Mr. Duns-S. P. C. A. Branch.—A meeting will be held in the Agricultural hall, at Duncans, on Friday evening, for the purpose of organizing a branch of the S. P. C. A. for Cowichan. Reeve Evans will take the chair at 8 p.m., and addresses will be delivered by Bishop Perrin, Rev. J. A. Leakey, Rev. W. Baugh Allen, E. Musgrave, Lindley Crease and G. J. South, secretary of the S. P. C. A. for the province. A short meeting for children will be held in the afternoon. light pole on Toronto street on Saturday afternoon, yesterday, after inquiring into the facts, came to a verdict that the death was accidental. It appears that Applewhite had been careless, the position of the strap used by linemen to hold themselves to the poles while at work, showing that on this ocasion he had not used it. The body is being held awaiting the arrival of his brother from the Sound. the in that once. He was then ordered to bring the account books of the tele-graph company with the government, so that from it the specific telegrams might

Threatening Language.—It was not J. W. Ladd that was brought before R. B. McMicking, J. P., vesterday, as the evening contemporary stated in its issue of last night. Instead of that gentleman being the accused, he is the accuser, and is asking the magistrate to bind Capt. Anderson over to keep the peace in consequence of his having made threats of personal violence. Both parties have been down the west coast of the Island and the threatening language is said to have arisen out of some business misunderstandings. As to the hearing of the case, the evening contemperary was adjourned, such having been ordered until Saturday next.

May Re Amended—The cases of the

graph it the specific telegrams might be looked up.

Mr. Upper then asked leave to telegraph its superintendent in San Francisco and to consult the company's solicitor, as his obedience to these instructions would be contrary to his duty to the telegraph company, as defined by their express instructions to their employees. This was for the protection of the people generally who patronized his company. The order, however, was made, Mr. Upper being given until the afternoon to get them.

Mr. Christie, of the C. P. R. telegraph, was then put through a similar course of questions. He had, however, no charge list left, as in order to protect his business, he had destroyed the copy usually kept in his office, and he would do it again to protect any of his customers not being criminals. It was his business to protect his enstoners generally, and he would always do so, Mr. Christie was then ordered to go through all telegrams for a fortnight about the 1st of March, and produce all telegrams passing between the government and Messrs, Mackenzie & Mann or Mr. Greenshields.

Mr. Greenshields.

The charges were originally launched at the curtis meeting in the A. O. U. W. The charges were originally launched that the was the lead-

or Mr. Greenshields.
Richard McBride, M.P.P., was then called, and deposed that he was the leader of the opposition. As such he was glad to support the wise measures of the government and to oppose the others, it disagreed with them on the Canadian Northern railway question, and said that he thought the subsidy excessive. The land grant would be worth at least \$2.50 an acre, and generally much more so soon as the road was constructed.

The charges were originally launched at the Curtis meeting in the A. O. U. W. hall, when resolutions one carried. This was a campaign matter and the vote was one ment. It was a long-worded affair, such as usually "20" if the meeting is "right." The commission then adjourned till 2:30 p.n., Mr. McBride being excused from further attendance for that day.

AFTERNOON SITTING.

The atternoon sitting was devoted to not to be interfered with in the mean-time. It was stated by City Solicitor Bradburn that Mr. Belyea, who appeared for the defence, had informed him that the by-law as it stood worked a hardship, the bakers being unable to sell a pound and a half of bread for five cents and make a fair profit. He asked that the case be adjourned for a week, so that he could confer with the council. Good Field.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pendray returned by the steamer City of Puebla from a visit to friends in California. While south they took a trip through the southern portion of the Golden State, visiting all the pleasure resorts from San Francisco south. Mr. Pendray is of opinion that this section of the country would be a good one in which to distribute the literature of the Tourist association. There are a great many tourists in California at present, the trains all being crowded with pleasure-seekers, and in many cases extra coaches having to be attached. This is especially true around Los Angeles and Del Monte. Though there are many pretty places in 'California, Mr. Pendray thinks there is no place to equal Victoria as a pleasure resort.

At \$1 an acre the provincial subsidy At \$1 an acre the provincial subsidy would amount to about \$25,000 a mile. He was sure this was too large.

The dual capacity of Mr. Greenshields in these negotiations had led to a warm and continued debate in the House. During its progress he and the other opposition members had accepted the newspaper reports, etc., but as the debate wore on, Mr. Wells had given the qualified statement regarding Mr. Greenshields' employment.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Cassidy, the witness said that he had been a member of the government when the better terms question had been taken up, but refused to say anything about the matters considered in the Exceptive

sidy, the witness said that he had been a member of the government when the better terms question had been taken up matters considered in the Executive would be expected to speak at a public council. He was with difficulty led to admit that Mr. Sutherland had been the agent of Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann.

The charge of the dual capacity of Mr. Greenshields was then taken up to its consideration in the cross-examination to Mr. Greenshields was then taken up that the copy of the government account, Mr. Christie then read the opinion of Judge that Mr. Greenshields had been employed that Mr. Greenshields and been employed that Mr. Greenshields on a former occasion, he considered that the Montreal lawyer was peculiarly adapted to such work as Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann would want him to do. He did think, too, that they would have discharged him on finding on that he took money from both sides. He also could not understand how Mr. Christie's movements for the past few days have been shadowed, but nothing more regarding the charges being into the contract at the meeting at the theatre the proveniment, could refuse to 20 on the platform and refuse to produce the contract at the meeting at the theatre the satisfied with a sworn translation, and wanted the government cypher, but they shad the province in the safe-guarding the translations from which, when made, the commission should deviced any were relevant to the case or intentionally guilty of any grave wrong to the poor the platform and refuse to produce the contract at the meeting at the theatre the meeting at the theatre the meeting at the theatre the province in the safe-guarding the translations from which, when made, the commission should device the contract of the government cypher, but the developed the man the platform and refuse to produce the contract of the province in the safe-guarding the translations from which, when made the population of

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Norfolk, who stated that she had found the bundle of papers which had been lost by Hon. Mr. Eberts the day before Good Friday, in the middle of the afternoon, near Messrs. Speed's store, Shedid not know what their contents were and immediately left them in the store. Continuing his evidence, Mr. McBride was hard pressed by Mr. Cassidy about the truth of the evidence given by the Hon. Mr. Wells and Mr. Greenshields. By turn after turn he reflected upon the statements of these gentlemen, but would not allow himself to be drawn into any definite statement-whether he believed that they were true of false. He admitted that for sometime the exposition's attack had been pressed upon the line that Mr. Greenshields was an outside lawyer, but that this had subsequently changed into the charge of acting in a dual capacity. Norfolk, who stated that she had found THE BULKLEY

AFTERNOON SITTING.

The afternoon sitting was devoted to the taking of the evidence of the telegraph company's officials. Mr. Upper was the first called. He produced the account books of the Western Union Telegraph company, from which a list of telegrans was taken by Mr. Curtis, and a judge's order was issued for their production, so soon as possible.

A chart adjournment followed after

production, so soon as possible.
A short adjournment followed, after which W. Christie, of the C. P. R. Telegraph company's local office, brought in the copies of two telegrams as the results of his searching of his office files. Both were in cypher. To one was also annexed in ordinary language an intimation to Mr. Greenshields that he would be expected to speak at a public meeting here.

SETTLEMENT

Argonauts To Leave For the North on Steamer Danube Tomorrow.

Mr. R. E. Gosnell, of the Provincial Mr. R. E. Gosnell, of the Provincial Bureau of Information, returned from Vancouver on Sunday night. Mr. Gosnell went to Vancouver to meet and confer with the promoters of the Bulkeley Valley colony before their departure for the North. All the arrangements preliminary to the actual work of settlement were fully discussed and a perfect understanding was arrived at between the government and the representatives of the prospective settlers. —
On Wednesday Messrs, J. W. McIn-

On Wednesday Messrs. J. W. McIntosh and Aubrey Elliott, representing the settlers, and Mr. McMillan, repre the settlers, and Mr. McMillain, representing the government, will go North by steamship Danube to locate and select lands and make reports on the country and its capabilities. Mr. McMillan, who is an experienced pioneer and road maker, will lay out a road from Hazelton to the new settlement.

The party expect to be absent for about three weeks, and on their return several of the home-seekers will proceed north and establish themselves upon their lands. Already over 100 familie have made the necessary deposit an are prepared to move onto the lands selected for them.

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1 White, large size, good as new 15.00
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1 Domestic, 7 Drawer, late style, new attachments 15.00
1 Raymond in good condition 20.00
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The Yukon **Gold Output**

Clean-up Has Commenced In Klondike and Shipping Will Soon Result.

Sluice Boxes and Rockers Being Brought Oul-Water Trickling Everywhere.

Ing Everywhere.

The Dawson News of April 4, received here yesterday, says:

"The trickling water from the hill-sides has thrilled the whole Klondike camp with new feelings of life, and on every hand preparations are being made for the great harvest of gold. Rockers have already been urged into use in a few places, and it is expected that if the weather continues warm they may be seen at work on hillsides everywhere throughout the camp before the present week end, if not before. In many places they are being put in condition. Another week or two of warm weather, and not only the rockers, but the great insatiable sluices may also be devouring the precious diet of pay dirt, now piled high on numerous creeks, with millions of dollars' worth of gold in their embrace. Sluice box lumber is in demand, and workmen are busy making flumes on all the creeks. A little while to tarry and then the big pokes, overflowing with unadulterated wealth will roll outward towards Victoria again. The claim owners along Eldorado and Bonanza rewatching the weather with much interest. Considerable betting has been done as to when sluicing will commence. Rockers were put in evidence on April 3 on different bench claims along the creeks. Now and then would be seen a miner with a knife and a piece of canvas standing by his rocker making new being erected. A heavy run of water is looked for at an early date. The more water that finds its way to the creek surface means more work and earlier cleanups, also an earlier summer season. The cleanups will be large and while the outputs on Bonanza and Eldorado will not be quite so heavy as last year, it will be but a few figures behind. Gold dust has already begun to find its way into circulation at Dawson. Sluicing commenced on April 13 on No. 16 Eldorado in the year 1900, followed by a heavy run of water. The indications were for an early date this year.

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WARRANT ISSUED.

One Man Who Caused Trouble on Cowwood Road to Appear in Police Court.

A warrant was yesterday sworn out by Mr. P. C. Macgregor for the arrest of John Spike, one of the men who made the victority of the profit of the victority of Banff. Mr. Reynolds ensistes hearty that of the victority of Banff. Mr. Reynolds states, were very acception of the constance arising through an informant stating that Spike and Fikton were the same men. In this connection Mr. Fitton writes:

Sir: I notice in Sunday's Colonist the report of an accident which happened on the return from the races at Colvood, in which I was made the unfortunate victim. I was neither in a buggy or at the races, so therefore met with no such accident. Hoping you will find space to make this correction.

129 Douglas street.

Mr. Macgregor has taken the action, ns it was his carriage with which Spike collided, throwing out a little boy, who had his arm broken. Spike is so still suffering from his wounds. Sin the first proper of the control of the cont indications were for an early date this year.

"No. 16 Eldorado has always been the first to shovel in. This year it seems to be a month ahead of time. At person looking down the shaft on No. 16 will witness the water and gravel running through the boxes, and also hear the exhaust of the big No. 7 pulsometer which can be seen at the bottom or the shaft. The clicking of the shovel and the roar of running water through the boxes makes as much noise as a big stamp mill. This is the third attempt of this kind ever made in the Yukon. The last two attempts have thus far proved successful as well as profitable. Mr. Miller attempted to sluice underground in the winter of 1899 and 1900 while working his lay on No. 2 Eldorado. The pulsometer used proved to be too small and Mr. Miller gave the idea up. Now comes two more claim operators who are working under a successful plan."

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CONDOR RELIEF FUND.

Goodly Sum Already Obtained Here for Those in Need.

Persons desiring to contribute to the fund for the widows, orphans and dependent relatives of the gallant men who were serving on board H. M. S. Condor, posted as missing, and pay stopped March 17, should send the same at once to Joseph Pierson, Hon. Secretary, Navy League, 34 Government Street, Victoria, B. C., who will see it forwarded to the proper quarter. The Navy league yesterday cabled £100 to London for the immediate relief of the relatives of the e relief of the relatives of the The subscription list to date fol-

lows:
Realized by concert in Victoria
Theatre and entertainment in
Drill Hall, under the auspices of
the Navy League, about ...S.
Supplemental donations unsolicited:
Hon. Mr. Justice Drake
W. H. Hayward, M.P.P.
F. J. F., per Mr. Hayward
A Member, per Mr. Hayward
C. H. B.
"Esquimait to Friends in Need". 5.00 5.00 2.00 2.00 1.00 2.00

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"In behalf of the Royal (Navy on this station, Captain Fleet, of Hi. M. S. Phaeton, senior naval officer at Esquimalt, warmly thanks those who were instrumental in promoting, and those who assisted in any way towards the success of the two recent entertainments held in the Victoria theatre, and the Drill hall in aid of the widows, orphans, and relatives dependent on those who were lost in H. M. S. Condor, and whereby a most substantial and ready help will be afforded."

DAWSON RIFILES.

Company has been organized in Dawson and Equipped by the Government.

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According to advices from Dawson, the organization of the Dawson Rifle company has been completed, and the northern militiamen will soon commence drilling. The company comprises 42 men besides the captain and two lieutenants. The officers of the company are: H. D. Hulme, captain; Wm. McLay, first lieutenant; Richard L. Cowan, second lieutenant; Richard L. Cowan, second lieutenant; F. E. Davis, formerly sergeant of instruction in the Yukon field force, color sergeant; and E. W. Ward and E. H. Post, sergeants. The Lee-Enfield ritle and the Oliver equipment has been provided by the government. The Oliver equipment is the latest and most approved, and includes sidearms, knapsacks, belts and all such. The cont is scarlet with blue facings, handsonely trimmed, and ornamented with bright military buttons, and the head dress a jaunty little field service cap of dark blue.

DEATHS AND FINERALS.

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The funeral occurred on Sunday Afternoon from her mother's residence, by View street, of Mrs. Janet Doughas. From the residence the cortege proceeding the street, of Mrs. Janet Doughas. From the residence the cortege proceeding the street, where impressive services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Barber. He also conducted the services at the cemetery. The deceased, besides her husband, icaves a sister in Dublin, two in London, and an aged father in Edinburgh, and an aged father in Edinburgh. Scotland. She and her husband had been here but a short time. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. G. M. Brayshaw, J. W. Rowland, A. P. Briggs, J. Lawson, G. Porter and J. E. Phillips.

Margaret McDonald, daughter of the late Donald McDonald, of North Sannich, died at her mother's residence, in that district, on Saturday. She was a rainged that those friends among the residents. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and has been so arranged that those from the city wishing to attend can take the 11 o'clock train.

The funeral of the late James King, who died at Harriet Bay, will take place on Thursday afternoon at 1:30, from the residence of Michael King, and later at St. Andrew's R. C. cathedral.

TO PAINT PEKIN'S PICTURES. Artist to Proceed to China For Sir Robert Hart.

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While It Drives Out the Seeds of Deadly Diseases It Quickly Builds Up Flesh and

A Marvelous Restoration Vouched For by a Prominent Clergyman.

THE CURED MAN SAYS:

I Feel Like a New Man, Which Con

dition I Owe to the Blessing of God and Paine's Celery Compound."

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UNITED STATES FLAG.

Writer Objects to Some of the Uses to Which It is Put.

The following letter has been received by a local official:
Dear Sir: President Roosevelt and ex-Presidents of the United States Grover Cleveland, Benjamin Harrison and Wm. McKinley, have advocated a mational law to protect the American drafter and burned in bon-fires. It is used for a table-cloth, a floor-mat and made into covers for pillows and footstools. Our national government pays no attention to, and fails to prevent, outrages of this kind to the flag. We write to make a special inquiry whether or not your local authorities have the legal power to punish any of Great Britath in any of the ways above described.

All dlsorders caused by a bilious state of the system can be cured by using Carter's Clittle Liver Pills. No pala, gripling or discomfort attending their use. Try them.

CASES BEFORE UPPER COURTS

Application to Dismiss Preliminary Objections to Election Petition Adjourned.

The election petition filed against Hon., Col. Prior's sitting in the local legislature as a member for this city was the subject of a chambers application yesterday morning, when T. M. Miller for the petitioners applied to dispose of the preminiary objections made to the petition. (Chief Justice Hunter deelined however to hear the application, stating that it must be made before one of the other judges. The petitioners are Thos. Russel, accountant; Jas. D. Stevens, a retired butcher, and Henry Callow, a gardener, who allege all the usual charges generally set forth in such a matter.

The other applications were disposed of as follows:

Pike vs. Copley—Plaintiff on Saturday applied for judgment under order xiv. Defendant objected that the writ contained claims beyond what was permitted in a special endorsement. Plaintiff amended his writ by striking out the parts objected to, and proceeded with his application. The objection was then raised that new service of writ must be made. His Lordship took the point under consideration, and yesterday morning dismissed the application with costs.

Re estate of Louis Vigelius, deceased—The summons to show cause why contentions proceedings should not cease and product issue to widow of deceased was dismissed with costs.

Re R. R. H. Pidcock, deceased—George Jay obtained an order for letters or administration with will annexed.

Re Fleiding Spotts, deceased—A. J. O'Reilly obtained an order for letters of administration with will annexed.

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COUNTY COURT.

FULL COURT. FULL COURT.

The full court sits this morning at Vancouver, and promises this time to take up a good deal of time, There being a long list of appeals set down from the Kootenay and Yukon decisions, as well as from judgments of the courts on the coast here. All the judges are expected to go over for this court excepting possibly Mr. Justice Drake, who is at present indisposed.

FINANCIAL AND .COMMERCIAL

PRICES BEING PAID FARMERS.

(By W. C. Dickinson.) Hay, per ton
Oats, per ton
Wheat, per ton
Barley, per ton
Eggs, per dozen, (trade)
Eggs, per dozen, (mah)
Potatoes, per ton (Fraser River)
Potatoes, per ton (local)

MINING EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by A. W. More & Co., Ltd., 23 Broad Street.)

Broad Street.	Broad Street.	
Toronto, April 14.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:	14	12½
Carloo McKinney	27	2½
Carlboo Hydraulic	\$1.30	55
Cantree Star	30½	37½
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	51.25	
Callfornia	5	2½
Deer Trail Con	3½	2½
Fairview Corp	4½	3½
Golden Crown	7	36
Glant	5	4
Glant	5	4
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Iron Mass
Lone Time Surprise Con.
Morning Gfory
Morr son
Mountain Lion
Mountain Lion
North Str
Olive
Payne
Rambler Cariboo Con.
Republic
Sullivan
Virtue Virtue
War Eagle Con.
White Bear
Winnipeg
Wonderful
Butte & Boston

TORONTO SALES.
White Bear, 1,000 at 3½; 1,000 at 3½.
ROSSLAND SALES.

STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(By B. C. Stock Exchange, Ltd.) New York, April 14.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchanges today:

sent that \$11.87 be paid to applicant from moneys in bank.

COUNTY COURT.

The April sittings of the County Court was concluded yesterday afternoon, Chief Justice Hunter presiding. Only one case remained for hearing, that of O'Kell & Morris vs. Dickson et al. In this a preliminary objection was taken disputing the right of the plaintiffs to sue because of a certain assignment said to have been made by them. Upon this His Lordship reserved his decision, and the merits of the claim were not gone into.

SMALL DEBTS COURT.

A sitting of this court was held yesterday morning to hear the case of Yet Jim against Mrs. White, of the Balmoral. This was brought for a balance of \$25 for wages due, and damages for culinery utensils retained by the defendant, to which the plaintiff made claim. Upon both claims the netion was dismissed, the former upon the ground that the right was lost and the latter for lack of jurisdiction.

The full court is, this morning at TELLCOURT.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

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The steamer Lake Ontario arrived on Saturday at St. John, N. B., with 1,401 passengers, a record number. The majority between 200 and 1,000 are for Western Canada, and include 60 or 70 English and Scotch farmers under the charge of a representative of the department of the interior. Four special trains left for the West with them.

is at present indisposed.

A violent thunder sterm, accompanied by torrents of rain, broke over Berlin and vicinity early yesterday morning, causing great damage. Many buildings were struck of carter's Little Liver Pills. If you try they will certainly please you.

Vigor of Youth



Are you suffering from Varicocele, Nervous Debility, Loss of Vital Power, Loss of Ambition, Early Decay? I will cure you.

How many men are suffering miseries for the want of a simple remedy? They do not live; they simply exist. In the faces of thousands can be read the story of a wasted life and simple remedy? They do not live; they simply exist. In the faces of thousands can be read the story of a wasted life and blighted hopes; joys and pleasures are unknown to them because their vitality is being sapped. Varicocele, waisting drains, have exhausted Nature's Electrical forces and left them wreeks upon the shores of life. Many have sought in drugs and patent remedies to relieve their mental and physical suffering. They are soothed for a day, or maybe a week, falsely braced up, until, the effects of the drug wearing off like the momentary bracing of whiskey, they sink still lower in vitality, and, with hope exhausted, lose confidence in themselves and their fellow-man and decide to abandon all efforts to recover their power, feeling that there is no help for them. Man, do not sacrifice yourself in this way. Do not endure holds out to you relief in the form of Electricity—that vital element of which, by a life of dissipation, you have deprived yourself—tearing down faster than Nature could rebuild. In this great restorative—Electricity—there is life and happiness for you. It restores power to the weak and indifferent; it builds up the weakened system, and by its vitalizing, stimulating cure it makes the blood jump through sluggish voins, increasing the circulation to every part, assisting Nature to carry off the impure matter which clogs up the wheels of life. If you are weak and sick, don't depend on the doctors or drugs any longer, but try

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Wednesday April 16th., at 9

A FEW OF OUR BARGAINS ARE:

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Fancy Dress Goods, 25c. quality
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Velveteens

Linings

 Good Linings at
 .64c. per yard

 15c. Linings at
 10c. per yard

 20c. Linings at
 15c. per yard

 Dress Canvass from
 .5c. per yard

Pillow Cottons

Flannelettes

 8½c. Quality at
 .5c. per yard

 12½c. Quality at
 .8½c per yard

 15c. Quality at
 .10c. per yard

 Dark Shirting at
 10c. per yard
 Table Linens

Half Bleached Linens from . 15c. per yard Rieached Linens, 35c. Goods at 25c. per yd. Rieached Linens, 85c. Goods at 60c. per yd. Bleached Linens, 81.10 Goods at 75c. per yd. Bleached Linens, 81.33 Goods at 70c. per yd.

Wrappers Ladies' Wrappers, Regular \$2.00. \$1.25

Blouses

NOW25c. each And all Our New Spring Blouses will be included in this Sale at Reduced Prices.

Skirts

Colored Over Skirts, \$3.00 line, at....\$1.50 Colored Over Skirts, \$4.00 line at\$2.00 Corsets

Prints

| Regular 84/c and 10c Prints | SALE PRIOE | ... 5c per yard | Regular 124/c Prints | SALE PRIOE | ... 84/c per yard | Regular 15c English Prints | ... 15c SALE PRICE 10c. per yard

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Hosiery and Gloves in great Variety, and all Marked Below Wholesale Price — a chance to secure some good Hosiery cheap

Evening Gloves, full arm length. Regular price \$1.00 pair; now 40c. Blankets

Stamped Cushion Covers, \$1.00 Quality, 65c. Stamped Cushion Covers, \$1.25 Quality, 75c. Slik Plano Scarfs, from \$2.25

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Laces and Embroideries at Greatly Reduced Prices. Remnants of all Kinds.

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CLERK requires position. Address "Clerk" Colonist office. all

SITATION WANTED—By Japanese boy, willing to do any kind of work. Apply 126 Yates street,

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE-Position as house keeper or help. Apply by letter to House keeper, Colonist office.

WANTED—By an experienced young lady position as cashier or office work. Apply S. M., this office.

WANTED-By an experienced young lady position in office. Address Lady, this of tice. ale

WANTED-MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUNG MEN with natural talent for drawing, to learn newspaper illustrating from famous artists by mail; free lesson circular. School of Carlcature, S5 Wold Building, New York.

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FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time)
Tuesday.
Victoria and Vicinity: Light or moderate
winds, generally fair and warm.
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mostly fair and warm.
VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Roport for 24 hours cuding 5 p. m. Ob-

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Ob-ervations taken dally at 5 a. m., noon and SUNDAY, APRIL 13.

SUNDAY, APRIL 13.

Deg. Deg.
5 n.m. 38 Mean... 42
Noon. 4.5 Highest. 48
5 p.m. 47 Lowest. 36
The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 p.m. 8 miles north.
Noon. 8 miles northest.
5 p.m. 4 miles northest.
5 p.m. -4 miles east.
Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Barometer at noon—Observed. 30.220
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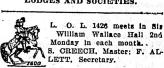
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Provincial Legislature

Opposition Leader Does Not Press His Want of Confidence Resolution.

Many New Bills Introduced and Several Advanced to Committee Stage.

Legislative Chamber, April 14, 1902. Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:20

p.m.
Rev. Dr. Reid said prayers.
On motion of Hon. Mr. Prentice, seconded by Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, it was resolved that the House go into committee of supply on Wednesday next. FIRST READINGS.

The following bills were introduced and read a first time:
To amend the Administration Act,

read a mest chand, o amend the Administration Act, b. Mr. Ebberts, o amend the Coal Mines Regulations, Mr. Green, o amend the Coal Mines Regulation Mr. E. C. Smith, o amend the County Courts Act, Mr. Bhillins

To amend the County
McPhillips.
To amend the Bills of Sales Act, Mr.

To amend the Wills Act. Mr. McPhil-

lips.
To amend the Supreme Court Act. Mr. McPhillips. MOTIONS.

MOTIONS.

Mr. McBride moved that an order of the House be granted for a return of all papers and letters passing between the treasury and any government agent, tax collector, or any government official, with respect to the collection of personal property tax from conductors, engineers, firemen or brakemen in the employ of any railway company operating in the province of British Columbia.

Myth, respect to his motion, Mr. Mo.

in the province of British Columbia.

With respect to his motion, Mr. Me-Bride said it was reported that tax collectors had been collecting personal property taxes from railway employees, based on their earnings for one month in the year, thus doing a great injustice to a class of very deserving men. He had no doubt the hardship was the result of over-zealousness on the part of certain treasury officials, and he hoped the government would remedy the evil mow that their attention had been drawn to the fact.

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Hon. Mr. Prentice explained that railway engineers and other railway enployees were taxed on the amount of their yearly earnings, based on returns of such earnings furnished by the railway company. There was no foundation for the charge that the taxation was based on the earnings of any particular month. There was no objection to bringing down the papers.

Mr. McBride held that it was an injustice to tax railway engineers, brakemen, firemen and conductors on their earnings for overtime, which exposed them to much additional hard work and danger.

danger.
The resolution was adopted.
Mr. Gifford moved, seconded by Mr. Gilmour, that an order of the House be granted for a return of the contract entered into by Messrs, Armstrong, Morison & Balfour with the government for the construction of the substructure of the New Westminster bridge.

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Hon. Mr. Wells said there was no objection to the return being brough lown, and the resolution was carried. brought down, and the resolution was carried.

Mr. McBride moved that on order of the House be granted for a return of all papers and letters and other documents passing between the government, and any member thereof, and Mr. C. S. V. Branch, agent of the Sun Life Insurance company, of Vancouver, B.C., or any other official thereof. Mr. Henry Davis, of Hatzie, B.C., and any other person or persons, with respect to the settlement of the indebtedness of the municipality of Dewdney and a settlement of the affairs of the said municipality. At the request of Hon. Mr. Prentice, the resolution was allowed to stand over. WANT OF CONFIDENCE.

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WANT OF CONFIDENCE.

Mr. MeBride moved that in the opinion of this House the action of the government in entering into the contract, now before the House, with the Edmonton & Yukon Railway company, for railway construction in British Columbia is against the best interests of this province, and demands the immediate resignation of the administration nation of the administration
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A POINT OF ORDER.

Mr. Stables' motion, moved on Thursday last, "that in all coutracts, leases and concessions of whatsoever kind entered into, issued or made by the government, or on behalf of the government, or on behalf of the government, provision be made that no Chinese or Japanese shall be employed in connection therewith," was ruled out of order by the Speaker, as dictating a policy to the government on hard and fast lines, and if passed would so tie their hands with regard to contracts, leases and concessions as to affect the revenue of the province to be derived therefrom.

Mr. Stables appealed from Mr. Speaker's decision.

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On the hon, the Premier consenting to the resolution, Mr. Stables withdrew his anneal.

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Mr. Speaker complained that he had gone to considerable trouble in looking up authorities on which to base his decision, and expressed his regret that the government had not accepted the resolution in the first piace.

OULESTIONS

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Mr. Tatlow asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance;
What amount has been paid in taxes by the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing company in the years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901, and under what heads? The Hon. Mr. Prentice replied;
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The consideration of the bill to Regulate Public Aid to Hospitals was resumded in committee of the whole, Mr. Kidd in the chair.

Mr. Garden's proposal to add a new clause, providing that in the case, of non-paying patients sent from another municipality one dollar a day should be paid the hospital by the municipality sending such patients, was defeated.

Mr. Stables pleaded for special grants in the case of hospitals in outlying districts where the cost of maintenance was much greater than in the more thickly settled portions of the province. He referred specially to the hospitals in Atlin and Cariboo.

Mr. McBride urged the government to acept Mr. Stables' suggestion, if they rused in the Arrival at 100 clock a. m.

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would not, he advised that gentleman n the third reading.

on the third reading.

'Mr. Hunter had confidence that the government would deal justly and fairly with the hospitals in outlying dis-

Mr. Helmcken again called attention of the desirability of establishing a pro-vincial hospital board, composed of rep-resentatives from the boards of directors of each hospital in the province.

Mr. Rogers expressed his satisfaction with the bill as amended.

The committee then reported the bill omplete with amendments. CITY OF GRAND FORKS

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The House, in committee of the whole, esumed the consideration of the bill to hundramate the Cities of Grand Forks and Columbia, Mr. Oliver in the chair, everal sections were passed and the ommittee rose and reported progress.

BOHER INSPECTION.

Hon. Mr. Wells' bill to amend the steam Boilers Inspection Act was then taken up in committee, Mr. Fulton in the chair. The committee rose and reported

VANCOUVER HOSPITAL

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The bill to Incorporate Vancouver General Hospital was committed to a committee of the whole house, Mr. Murphy in the chair.
The bill names Thomas F. Neelands, William J. McGuigan, James McQueen, Campbell Sweeny, David H. Harrison, M. D., Thomas Duke, Daniel Donaldson, John T. Carroll, M. D., Simon John Tunstall, M. D., William Fenwick Salsbury, Jonathan Miller, Benjamin T. Rogers, Frederick F. Burns, Henry De Pencier and William Skene, as the first board of directors. There shall be fifteen directors, eight of whom shall be elected by the members, three appointed by the City council, three by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, and one by the medical staff of the hospital.

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The other provisions of the bill are almost similar to those of the charter of the Royal Jubilee hospital. The Fairview hospital site is transferred to the new corporation. A provision is made that so soon as the hospital is in a position to expend \$20,000 towards the cost of building, the city of Vancouver shall contribute \$50,000 either in cash or by guarantee bonds or debentures to that amount. The city shall donate \$10,000 annually towards the support of the hospital, the amount of such annual grant to be adjusted from time to time to meet the requirements of the hospital.

Mr. Helmcken moved to add the following sections, which were adopted:

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and maintain, in connection with the hospital, a training school for nurses, whereby nurses may receive a thorough training, and be given a diploma upon completing the curriculum and passing the medical and nursing examinations required; and may also establish and maintain a home for nurses, whereby nurses who have been properly trained may be supplied to private families in the city of Vancouver and elsewhere.

The board of directors may also establish and maintain, according to cules adopted by the board, a maternity hospital for the purpose of taking care of maternity patients.

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The board of directors may appoint a ladies' auxiliary board to aid in the internal management and arrangement of the hospital—their actions to be subject to the approval of the board.

The committee reported progress.

OREDITORS' TRUST DEEDS

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In moving the second reading of a bill to amend the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, Hon, Mr. Eberts said the bill was designed solely for the purpose of making the bill more clear regarding the registration of trust deeds.

The second reading passed and the bill was passed through committee of the whole, Mr. McPhillips in the chair, without amendments. The committee reported progress,

MEASUREMENT OF TIMBER.

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MEASUREMENT OF TIMBER.

Hon. Mr. Wells withdrew the bill respecting the Measurement of Timber, explaining that another and more perfect
bill would be brought down.

TRUSTEES AND EXECUTORS.

MASTERS AND SERVANTS. MASTERS AND SERVANTS.

Mr. Gilmour's bill to amend the Master and Servent Act was committed to committee, Mr. McNeill in the chair. The bill is to give power to workingmen, in works where a company doctor is employed, to employ a dector of their own choice. The bill was fully discussed on the second reading. Mr. Gilmour proposed an amendment making the law applicable only in towns of 3,000 or over. Mr. McPhillips opposed the amendment.

ment.
Mr. Green agreed with Mr. McPhilips. He considered the bill an unnecessary piece of legislation.
The committee rose and reported propress

gress.

Hon. Mr. Eberts moved the first reading of a bill dealing with Juvenile Of-

\$36,610 60 The House then adjourned till 2 p.m today.

Danube Brings Northern News

A Budget of Happenings at the Coast Ports-The Bristol Wreck Examined.

Empress Salls for the Orient-

Riojun Maru Arrives From

Yokohama.

The steamer Danube, which arrived on Sunday from the North, brought a salmon case, and some of the labels of the half pound thats from the Windsor camery, which formed part of the weeking washed ashore on Aristazable Island; also panels of red painted sort wood doors and rails which formed part of the wreckage which Indians brought to Bella Got and the Half from Goose island. The D. G. S. Quadra was at Bella Bella on her recent Northern trip, when the Indians arrived with the news of finding a large pilot house or deck, house of some vessel on Goose island, but the government steamer did not go to the nearby island to investigate the wreckage. Later the Indians brought back some of the doors, which were shipped to Capt. Gaudin by Dr. Large, of Bella Bella. The wreckage is not that of the Condor, for it is soft wood, and va. nished a dark red color, similar to the manner in which the lost steamer Walla Walla or the Bristol was colored. The deck house found by the Indians is described by them as a large affair, seemingly much larger than the ordinary chart house, for the Indians say they secured "hiyu doors and windows" from it. The wreckage brought down consists of two red varnished panels of soft wood, one of which bears the figures 12 in small brass numerals about an inch long. The Indians made fast the deck house to the beach where they found it.

The salmon case which was shipped to Finlay, Durham & Brodie, of this city, consignees of the shipment bearing the marks D. T. H., which was seen on the case, and the labels are identified as those on the consignments of half pound lats shipped from the Windsor camery to liverpool on the ships fied Rock and Beechdale. The shipment placed on the Red Rock, which is 141 days out from Victoria for Liverpool today, was londed in such a position, according to some of those present when the cargo was being placed in the vessel, that it could not be reached if it was found necessary to jettison some of her salmon cargo.

The Danube had 33 passengers from the North, and as s

the northern part of the province. Last year there were a number of trips of the northern steamer when there were few if any passengers, but this year there are seldom under 30. Business is increasing also with the northern ports, but Victoria is not making as big an effort to reach out for it as are the houses of Vancouver. According to one of the passengers who arrived by the Danube the business houses of Vancouver have already sent their representatives to the Skeena and Rivers Inlet stores, and travelers are thick along the coast, but there are few representatives in Victoria, was obliged to come down for the purpose.

The past winter has been a very open one in the North. Two of the passengers on the Danube from Hazelton, Mr. and Mrs. Alleock, came down the Skeena in a canoe, going over the ice for two miles below Hazelton and they had only to make one small portage after starting. When the big Canyon was reached they expected to be rushed through with the rapids, but the tide was so full that they had even to paddle through the canyon, where in the steamboat season steamers have had to be lined up from the bank to work their way through the swift waters. There is now no ice below the canyon, the river being free.

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The oolichan run has been a very good one, and the villages will soon have their summer smell of grease along the house fronts. The tug Chieftain did not do much in the first run, for towards the end of the month she had a narrow escape from being wreeked. The tug had been taken up the Nans in readiness for the oolichans, and the crew had gone to sleep on board, when the ice ran down and swept the steamer down the river—she had no steam up, and went on a reef and keeled well over on her beam, almost filling as the water rose. Her shoe was torn off for some distance, and she was scratched a little, but the injuries were slight, and she is again in service. The run on Kitamanat arm commenced on the 10th, and the fishermen were getting big hauls there.

At Metakatla the government wharf, which has a face of from 80 to 90 feet, is nearing completion. The big school in which about 125,000 feet of lumber has been used is being completed.

The Danube has been again tied up and the steamer Tees will leave for Naas, Skidegate and way ports tonight. She will make a call at Bella Coola on this trip. On her last trip the Danube covered over 1,900 miles of sea. Among the passengers who arrived by the Danube were: G. Cunningham, of Port Essington, who will return North tonight by the Tees; Mr. and Mrs. Corker, of Alert Play, the former of whom intends returning by the Tees; John Clayton, of Bella Coola, Mr. Gilmour, a canneryman from the Skeena; Mr. Jacobsen and wife, of Uclulet, who have been visiting at Bella Coola, and danning, settlers from Bulkley valley, and Messrs. Seymour and Skimer, of the British Columbia Fish company. er being free.

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LAUNCH ON FIRE,

Exciting Adventure of Victorians on the

Skeena.

News was brought by the Danube of an accident by which the party of Victorians headed by Messrs. John Bryden and R. Swinerton, who are bound to the sulphur mines on the Oxtal river, and the steam launch Annie, belonging to Mr. Bryden, had a narrow escape from injury. The launch took fire as the party were preparing to ascend the Oxtal river from the Skeena, while the Danube was anchored in the river, and unable on account of the low water to get near enough to render assistance. The naptha was ignited and the ilames shot to a height of about six feet. Some of those on board were throwing water on the fire with buckets, while another baled, and the anchor was thrown overboard to hold the steamer in the fast current. The anchor line, however, fouled the wheel, and the tide carried the launch up the Oxtal river out of sight of those on the Danube. The smoke was curling up, and it seemed to those on

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the big steamer as though the launch must be destroyed, but she was not. The launch was back with the returning tide, her wheel free of the rope, and the fire extinguished. The launch was con-siderably scorched, and some or the party burned their clothes. The damages were 'slight.

BRISTOL WRECK. Lies in a More Favorable Position Than Was Supposed.

Was Supposed.

Capt. Owens, one of the owners of the wrecked steamer Bristo, which is now owned by a syndicate made up of R. W. Dunsmuir, Capt. Owens and J. H. Greer, is back from the scene of the wreck in company with Diver J. Mc-Hardy. They left here on the up trip of the steamer Danube to view the wreck, and plan a means to salve her, if salvage was found possible. Leaving the Danube at Port Essington, they took passage to the scene of the wreck on the tug Nora, and almough the weather prevented a favorable survey, they found that the wreck was lying in a more favorable position than was generally supposed. The weather prevented anything other than a most superficial examination, and the two wreckers will return to the scene about a month hence to make a survey with an object of outlining the course to be followed in the attempt to raise her. The steamer is not lying by the stern, as was generally thought. She is on her beam ends lying on her starboard side, and there is about 18 or 20 feet of water on her at low tide.

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Capt. Owens says that the body, which was found some time ago at Cape Fox, and which was believed to have been one of the Bristol victims, has been buried at Ketchikan. The head and arms were mutilated by wolves. The captain says that there is considerable wreekage of all kinds on the West Coast of Dundas island, teak wood, and all kinds of wreekage, which has evidently been brought from the open sea by the Japan current, which washes the wreekage in to Aristazable, Banks, and other islands in that vicinity, and scatters it along the western coasts of the islands. BIG LUMBER STEAMERS.

Secured to Replace the Windjammers of the Coast Trade.

Prominent lumber men in the Coast shipping trade are beginning to recognize the fact that the days of the windjammer are over. Sailing vessels that were the mainstay of the Coast trade for years, are being now regarded as back numbers and steamships are the order of the day. The latest addition to the Coast fleet is the steamer Lyra, now 25 days out from Philadelphia, and the Shawmut on the berth for San Francisco. Both vessels are consigned to the Charles Neison company and will be used between San Francisco and Tacoma or off Coast ports, as the case may be. The Lyra is 3,516 tons net burden, while the Shawmut is a brand-new vessel with a speed of 15 knots. Her net tomage, according to the United States registry, is 6,400 tons. Both vessels have special accommodation for lumber cargo ports and sending the vessels off shore, either to Australia or the Orient, when so desired. Prominent lumber men in the Coast

TO FOSTER "THE SOUND." Why the United States Government Gives a Steamer to the Iron Magnates.

Magnates.

The U. S. S. Grant, which is expected back from Barkley Sound today, will likely make a cruise to the Texada island mines, to allow the Eastern iron magnates, who are on board, an opportunity of visiting those properties. A Port Townsend correspondent says in connection with the cruise of the Grant: "The United States government's unusual step in furnishing transportation for the party is with the idea of fostering rolling and steel mills on the Sound, to the handy to the big Federal drydock at Bremerton. There Uncle Sam has expended a large amount of money for a dock and it is particularly desirable that material be available for all repairs and the building of new vessels should such emergency arise as to require this move."

ORIENTAL LINERS.

Empress Sails and Riojun Maru Reaches Port.

There were two Oriental liners at the Oriental liners at the Oriental liners at the Orient, and the Riojun Hard Reaches the County of the Coun Stern, Mr. B. R. Smith, General Wood-ford, Mrs. Woodford, Miss Woodford, In consequence of the floods in the North-west, delaying freights, the Empress did not take as large a cargo as ordinarily, She had a quantity of beer for Manila for thirsty Yankee soldiers, machinery for Jananese and Korcans, cottons and drills for Chinese, and flour for many different nationalities of the Orlent, as well as a mixed cargo for various polints.

Among the sailors of the steamer who made his first passage was Solomon Hussey who won considerably notoriety in Victoria some time ago by failing from an upper flow seem of the Telegraph Foot arrange of the opportunity afforded by the darkness to desert at the Outer wharf, when they were sent ashore to carry stores for the steward's department on board the liner.

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The steamer Riojun Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kalsha line, which arrived last night fourteen days from Yokohuma—one day in advance of her schedule time. Is the only vessel of the fleet of the Japanese company running to this side which has a Japanese master. She had a rough trip across. Westerly winds with a following sea helped her until the meridian was crossed, and then head winds with heavy seas were encountered. The steamer had one saloon passenger, C. Russell of Vancouver, who has been in Japan, and 68 Japanese passengers, of whom twelve debarked here. The steamer had one assument, of which 100 tons were landed at the Owtharf. The eargo included tea, matting, curlos, etc., and 450 bales of silk for shipment to New York. The steamer Iyo Maru is, following the Riojun, and is due here on the 23rd inst. She has 69 passengers in all, and 100 tons of freight for Victoria. The Riojun leaves this morning for Seattle.

MARINE NOTES.

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The Scattle Times says that "hereafter Collector of Customs Huestis has been notified that fees of \$8.08 per ton additional will be chartered for inspecting Canadian merchant vessels. This has not been charged heretofore, but since the Canadian government is making such a charge for similar inspection of American vessels, the United States adopts retalliatory measures."

Steamer City of Puebla arrived from San Francisco on Sunday, and the steamer Umatilla sulicit for Sun Francisco last night. The Pueba had an uneventful passace. She had 130 passengers all told. The Umatilla had a small list bound south. Steamer Titania salled from San Francisco on Sunday for Nanalmo to load coal. Steamer Ascunsion passed up yesterday to load.

The San Francisco Call says two ships

load. Securior passed up yesterday to The San Francisco Call says two ships are overdue from Manila for Victoria, the Sam Skolfield II., being out 119 days, and the Ellen A. Read, 112 days.

The British ship Tweeddale, 96 days from Hongay for Portund, has been added to the overdue list. She is reinsured at 10 per cent. The rate on the Red Rock has dropped to 18 per cent.

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MARINE NEWS.

San Francisco, April 13.—Salled, str. Baqua, Portland; bk Nicholas Thayer, Bris-tol bay; str. Titania, Nanaimo; str. Robert Bollar, Tacoma; schr. Onward, Coquille iver; bk Levi G. Burgess, Tacoma, Arriv d, schr. Haleyen, Grays harbor; schr. Bella

ou, sehr Haleyen, Grays harbor; schr Bella Suislaw river. Taccua, April 13.—Arrived, str Mackin-Francisco: schr Salvador. Fort Townsend. Astoria, 70r., April 13.—Salled, str Geo. W. Elder, San Francisco; sh St. Nicholas, Alaska; Br sh Marion Lightbody; Queens-lown.

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